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FOUR ARRAIGNED IN ROSENTHAL CASE

District Attorney Draws First Blood in New York Investigation

MAYOR GAYNOR TAKES A HAND

Independent Investigations Are Concentrated—Search for the Real Murderers Still Continues—Developments of Day

New York, July 22.—"Bald Jack" Rose, Sam Paul, "Bridgie" Webber, William Shapiro and Louis Libby, all held by the police for complicity in the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the gambler, early last Tuesday morning, were arraigned before Coroner Feinberg today. The results of the hearing in which the District Attorney won the first scrimmage, with the attorneys for the accused, are briefly as follows:

Rose, gambler and friend of Lieutenant Becker, whom Rosenthal charged with being his partner, was held without bail for the coroner's inquest Thursday. Rose is said to have hired the "murder car" in which the gun men later went to assassinate Rosenthal.

Louis Libby, part owner of the automobile, was held for the presentation of further evidence Thursday and the case of William Shapiro, chauffeur of the car, was likewise put over to that day.

"Bridgie" Webber, the gambler, in whose place in 42nd street, the gun gang is said to have congregated, and Sam Paul, were held without bail until Wednesday.

Jack Sullivan, alleged go-between for Rose and Lieutenant Becker, was held as a material witness in $100 bail which was furnished.

Another equally important development of the day was the entrance of Mayor Gaynor in the case. By order of the Mayor the independent investigations which have been conducted by the police and the district attorney's office have been concentrated under District Attorney Whitman. Mayor Gaynor this morning summoned Police Commissioner Waldo and instructed him and Deputy Commissioner Dougherty to act in harmony with the district attorney no matter what friction might have crept in between them. The result was that Dougherty went at once to see Mr. Whitman.

Meanwhile the countrywide search for the actual assassins of Rosenthal continues, both the police and private detectives whom the district attorney had employed taking an active hand. Five men whose names have been obtained from those under arrest are wanted and some of them are understood to be in Chicago having fled from New York on the day of the shooting.

Commissioner Dougherty has admitted that the actual murderers are not in custody.

The grand jury is busy with two propositions—the question of police participation in the gambling, as charged by Rosenthal, and the murder.

Lieutenant Charles Becker, head of the "strong arm squad," who has been the central figure in the charges against the police, was today transferred to an uptown precinct where he will do desk duty.

William Shapiro, Lewis Libby, chauffeurs and owners of the "murder car"; Louis (Bridgie) Webber, Jack Rose and Sam Paul, all charged with homicide in being implicated in the murder of Herman Rosenthal, were arraigned before Coroner Reinberg this afternoon for examination.

Hundreds of persons were unable to gain admission to the court room.

When Coroner Feinberg called the hearing to order District Attorney Whitman for the people, asked adjournment of the cases involving Shapiro and Libby. Mr. Whitman declared that "public interest and the interest of justice demanded an adjournment." Adjournment in these cases were then ordered until Thursday.

Counsel for "Jack" Rose objected to postponement in his client's case. Mr. Whitman thereupon asked that Deputy Police Commissioner Dougherty be called as the first witness.

Commissioner Dougerty testified that "Jack" Rose following his arrest, admitted to him that the gray car known as the murder car, had been hired by him on the night Rosenthal was murdered in front of the Hotel Metropole. Dougherty declared he had also questioned other persons (whom he would not name) whose statements made it impossible for Rose to deny successfully his part in the crime.

Counsel for Rose protested that the witness should name his authority for some of his statements against Rose. Mr. Whitman declared that these names might be given out on Thursday if postponement in Rose's case could be secured until that day. Rose's attorney then agreed to a postponement.

Dougherty further testified that he had secured evidence positive enough to involve Louis Libby in the murder, and Coroner Feinberg ordered the owner of the "murder car" held until Thursday when it was announced additional evidence would be presented against him.

Coroner Feinberg also ordered "Bridgie" Webber held in custody as accessory in the murder.

...CO AND MEXICO

Senator Fall, of New Mexico, Strongly Arraigns United States—No Redress for Injured American Citizens.

Washington, July 22.—In a strong arraignment of the United States government for its failure to secure redress for injuries to American citizens and property, resulting from the Mexican insurrections and revolution, Senator Albert B. Fall, of New Mexico, declared in the Senate today that this country would not regain its prestige in Mexico in 50 years.

He declared that China, Germany and other countries had forced Mexico to make restitution for the damages inflicted on their citizens. Thus far, he said, the United States had done nothing. He added that because of the course of the State Department, the people of Mexico believe that this country is behind the Madero government and that it was responsible for the overthrow of President Diaz, in the interest of Madero.

"If the people of the United States knew all the facts," declared Senator Fall, "not all the soldiers in the country would be able to prevent the crossing of the border, because of the indignation that would be aroused. And yet nothing has been done to relieve the most intolerable condition that American citizens were ever compelled to undergo."

Senator Fall urged the adoption of the resolution instructing the War Department to ascertain the extent of the damage caused by Mexican bullets fired across the American line during the engagements last year at Douglas, Ariz., and El Paso, Texas.

He declared the resolution did not go far enough.

He said there had been no word of protest from the American government, although its citizens had been killed, women outraged, and over $500,000,000 worth of property destroyed by Mexicans.

The Senator gave many instances of the injuries and loss inflicted on American citizens. Senator Swanson, of Virginia, declared the State Department should be urged to act.

"If the story is true," he said, "we should hang our heads in shame and disgrace."

Senator Fall declared that the American State Department had refused persistently to make representations concerning the injuries inflicted, but had referred all claimants to the Mexican authorities themselves—"to the men who inflicted the injuries." This course, he contrasted with the courses of China and Germany. Germany, he said, had collected $100,000 on account of the murder of four German citizens in Mexico, while China had compelled the payment of 3,000,000 pesos by Mexico on account of the killing of the Chinese.

TO PUNISH DENEEN.

Third Partyites Will Put Out Ticket Against Him.

Chicago, July 22.—Illinois politics were declared by Roosevelt leaders to have been "much cleared" by Governor Charles S. Deneen's announcement in Springfield today that he would not adhere to the thrd party movement in the coming Presidential campaign, but would support President Taft.

On the heels of Governor Deneen's statement given to a committee which went to Springfield to question him, Senator Joseph M. Dixon, Col. Roosevelt's manager, declared: "That puts the Governor out of the Progressive party, and there will be a full third party State ticket in Illinois, with a candidate for Governor friendly to Col. Roosevelt."

Medill McCormick, head of the Roosevelt forces, announced that a third party ticket undoubtedly would be selected at the State convention in Chicago August 3rd.

ROOSEVELT IN FLORIDA.

Three Congressional Districts Hold Conventions—Negro Leader.

Tampa, Fla., July 22.—Progressive Republicans supporting the candidacy of Col. Roosevelt for President met in each of the three Congressional districts in this State today. They denounced President Taft and the "steam roller" methods at Chicago, eulogized Theodore Roosevelt and named Congressional candidates. C. H. Alston, the negro lawyer from Tampa, who appeared before the Natonal Republican Committee at Chicago and told how the negroes were alleged to have been excluded from the proceedings of the Republican convention in this State, is one of the leaders of the Roosevelt movement in Florida. This district convention was held in Tampa, the second at Jacksonville, and the third at Pensacola.

THE ARMY WORM.

Has Appeared in Spartanburg County, S. C.—Anxiety.

Spartanburg, S. C., July 22.—The army worm has made its appearance in Spartanburg county, at Mayo, a small station on the Carolina-Clinchfield & Ohio Railroad, north of this city, near Cowpens. More than 30 acres of corn and cotton have been destroyed and great anxiety is felt lest the pest spread beyond control. Ravages of the worm have recently been reported from Anderson county.

JAPAN'S EMPEROR IS NOW IMPROVED

Extreme Tension Relieved But Monarch Not Yet Out of Danger

WORLD MANIFESTS INTEREST

Letters From Rulers and Business Houses Everywhere—Ten Thousand Pilgrims Pray Daily for Recovery of Mutsuhito

Tokio, Japan, July 22.—The extreme tension caused by the illness of Mutsuhito, the Emperor of Japan, has generally relaxed, but the attending physicians say that while there is reason to be encouraged, the public must wait a full week before assurances can be given respecting the outcome.

The improvement noted Sunday was maintained yesterday and the bulletins issued by the court physicians indicated that the maladies from which the Emperor is suffering, have been gotten under control, at least temporarily.

The latest bulletin issued at 5 o'clock this morning, gave briefly the results of the physicians' examination made at 3:30 A. M. It stated that the improved conditions were generally sustained, but that His Majesty had been unable to sleep. The temperature of the patient at that hour was 102.4.

At 5:30 o'clock a minister of the Imperial household gave out the information that the Emperor was sleeping soundly and that his appetite had improved.

Expressions of concern, couched in unusually sympathetic terms, are being received from every quarter of the world, from Rulers, great business houses and individuals.

Ten thousand pilgrims daily are visiting the imperial shrine of Isie to pray for the recovery of the Emperor. It is announced that Prince Katsura will cut short his visit to Russia, leaving St. Petersburg for Japan on July 27th.

"HE WORKED FOR WILSON"

(Editorial News & Observer, 19th.)

One of the men who did effective work to secure the nomination of Governor Woodrow Wilson at Baltimore was Mr. A. W. McLean, of Lumberton, one of the delegates at large from North Carolina.

In some way there appeared an article in the Charlotte Observer under a Baltimore date line, that while Mr. McLean was sent to the National Democratic convention by the Wilson men that he was "wobbly" on the matter of Wilson's nomination. The Charlotte Observer has since corrected that article, saying editorially:

"An article in The Observer under a Baltimore date line of June 23rd, appeared to have placed Mr. A. W. McLean, of Lumberton, in a wrong light. He was sent to Baltimore by the Wilson men as a delegate at large, and it was represented in the article that he was 'wobbly,' when in fact, his record there showed that he was anything but wobbly. The Observer has it on good authority that Mr. McLean did effective work for Wilson as a member of the committee on permanent organization, and in the several conferences. It is a fact that his work for Wilson attracted the approbation of Governor Campbell. Mr. McLean's record at Baltimore was entirely straight, as it generally is on matters political and business, and on all occasions."

The article from Baltimore with reference to Mr. McLean was reprinted in some other papers. Because of this The News and Observer takes this opportunity to say that Mr. McLean was one of the tireless workers for the success of Governor Wilson at Baltimore. This is not on heresay information but it is known by members of the staff of this paper who attended the Baltimore convention. Mr. McLean was active in going from delegation to delegation to urge that Wilson be nominated. When he would learn of a possible chance to get a vote for Wilson he would act promptly. With Governor Campbell, of Texas, and others he was active in this work, and it is but just to him that it should be made plain and clear that he did intelligent and effective work in securing the nomination of Governor Wilson, that he did this at all times during the convention, and that at no time was he at all "wobbly." He was a Woodrow Wilson advocate whose work counted.

SHAM BATTLE PLANNED.

Troops at Anniston, Ala., Sent Out Yesterday for Attack.

Anniston, Ala., July 22.—All the regiments engaged in Summer maneuvers here today were sent to positions in the vicinity of Blue Mountain, where a sham battle will be fought at break of day tomorrow. The enemy is supposed to be advancing upon the city by the direction of Chattanooga, and all the maneuvering and fighting will take place about Blue Mountain. Various military problems will be demonstrated before the troops return to Camp Pettus tomorrow night. The battle of Rocky Hollow began this morning, but neither force had an advantage at night fall.

WILSON GOES IN SECLUSION

Next President Leaves Seagirt to Write Speech of Acceptance—Several Enthusiastic Callers Yesterday.

Seagirt, N. J., July 22.—Governor Wilson discarded his old gray working coat today for a natty one of serge, drew the shutters, pulled down the shades, locked the door and walked leisurely down the steps of the "Little White House" porch with a bundle of papers under his arm. A moment later he entered a waiting automobile and was off for seclusion and the writing of his speech of acceptance of the Democratic Presidential nomination.

There are, perhaps, a score of persons who know where he went, but now long he will be away, is a problem as yet unsolved by even the Governor himself. That depends, he said, on how fast he can set his brain going and keep it going at the task which lies before him. The speech of acceptance is to reflect his attitude on the leading questions of the hour and on the platform adopted at Baltimore. He wants plenty of leisure to concentrate his mind and time to squander on the choosing of his words. He may be gone two days, or three, or, possibly four. Seagirt will not see him again until his acceptance address is finished.

The Governor left the "Little White House" because he found it impossible to greet personally the scores of persons who come here and at the same time find opportunity to write his speech.

Before he left he conferred with Senators Reed and Stone, of Missouri, and Representative Henry, of Texas.

"Of course, Champ Clark will take the stump for Wilson," Senator Reed said afterwards when asked his opinion on this point. "A Missouri Democrat is one of these fellows who takes off his coat and starts to work for the ticket as soon as the convention is over. Champ Clark is a Missouri Democrat."

Senator Stone said he had talked with Governor Wilson about plans for the campaign. They had also discussed debatable States, he added. He was reasonably sure that Wilson would have 230 in the electoral college before they reached the list of debatable States. Among these, he thought, were New York, Connecticut, Massachusetts, Wisconsin and Ohio. They were not included in the 230 votes.

Representative Henry talked with the Governor, he said, about legislation pending in Congress. He also discussed the political situation.

"This fight", said Mr. Henry, "is among three Presidents—the past President, the present President and the future President. I cannot see it any other way. And as for Texas, she'll give Wilson 300,000 majority. There aren't any Republicans left in Texas anymore."

San Antonio, Tex., July 22.—Emilio Vasquez Gomez, the Mexican whose friends have urged him to lead a new revolution, was released under $10,000 temporary bond here today, when he appeared to answer a Federal charge of conspiracy to violate the neutrality laws. His hearing was set for next Monday.

OUTLINES

Senator Fall, of New Mexico, in Congress yesterday delivered a scathing denunciation of the attitude of the United States towards Mexico and the protection of American interests there; the inactivity of the State Department was castigated.

Governor Woodrow Wilson left Seagirt yesterday and will go into seclusion while writing his speech of acceptance of Democratic nomination. He had several callers yesterday.

The prosecution completed its case in the Allen trial yesterday and the defense has begun the introduction of testimony.

The treasurer of Danville, Va., has left his home and the city council has appointed a committee to investigate his accounts; his wife is prostrated over his strange disappearance.

The speech of Winston Spencer Churchill, in the House of Commons yesterday, submitting the supplementary naval bill and setting out the programmes of the world's powers, has caused grave concern in England.

Four suspects in the Rosenthal murder case in New York were held yesterday for the coroner's inquest Thursday, and for investigation on later days in the week.

Federal Judge Hanford, of Washington State, yesterday sent his resignation to the President as the lats witnesses were awaiting to testify before the House Judiciary Committee with reference to charges filed against him.

State troops engaged in maneuvers at Camp Pettus were sent out last night for a sham battle which is expected to begin this morning at daylight.

Roosevelt Republicans in Florida yesterday denounced President Taft, eulogized Teddy, and put out candidates for Congress.

New York markets: Money on call steady 2 3-4 to 3 per cent; ruling rate 2 7-8; time loans easy, sixty days 3 1-4 per cent; six months, 4 1-4 to 4 1-2 per cent; flour quiet and lower to sell; wheat spot easy No. 2 red 1.05 to 1.07 elevator export basis and export 1.07 f.o.b. afloat to arrive; corn spot easier; export 77 3-4 f.o.b. afloat; oats spot steady; spot cotton closed quiet; rosin quiet, turpentine quiet.

HOUSE AND SENATE HAVE NO QUORUMS

Members Exceedingly Indifferent to Call of Congressional Duties

MID-SUMMER HEAT TOO MUCH

Anti-Saloonists Win Victory Before Senate Committee—Absentee Question Really Becomes Serious at Capital.

Washington, July 22.—Although it resorted to the extreme of arresting absent members, the House today was forced to adjourn because of its inability to keep a working quorum of members in their seats. Two roll calls marked the proceeding.

The first disclosed a quorum only after a long and weary delay, during which the truants were escorted, one by one, into the House by the sergeant-at-arms and his assistants. The second, an hour later, revealed such a scarcity of members that in despair adjournment was taken.

The midsummer heat also operated to block business in the Senate. Although piled with business, two roll calls and a lengthy wait intervened before that body could command enough Senators to proceed legally with legislation. There were no arrests of Senators, but there was much telephoning of requests that they appear in the chamber forthwith.

Majority Leader Underwood, because of the listless attitude of the House members tonight announced his intention of brining the matter of absentees to the attention of the Democratic caucus on Wednesday. The result will be, it is said, the issuance of a command by the Democratic majority that all truant members return to the capital at once and attend to business.

Anti-Saloonists Win.

Washington, July 22.—Anti-saloon interests won a victory before the Seante Judiciary Committee today when Senator Cummins was authorized to report favorably a bill giving dry States power to intercept shpments of liquor from "wet" territory.

The bill to be reported is a combination of the Kenyon bill, much amended, and Senator Sanders' bill. The new measure will prohibit shipments of liquor where any person interested in them intends to violate a law of the State into which the shipment is made.

This new bill would revise the Wilson law to meet a recent decision of the Supreme Court and make liquor in inter-State commerce subject to the laws of a single State upon arrival within its boundaries and before delivery to a consignee.

Some members of the committee think the bill unconstitutional and tnreaten to fight it on the floor.

Extend Corporation Tax

Washington, July 22.—Enough support has been secured in the Senate for the bill to extend the corporation tax to individual and co-partnership enterprises, it is believed, to make its passage probable when it comes to a vote next Friday.

Leaders in the Senate today made the prediction that the Democratic wool tariff bill would be defeated Thursday; that the excise tax bill has more than an even chance of being passed, and that out of the fight on the Democratic sugar tariff bill Saturday a substitute may be evolved which will receive enough Republican votes to pass it.

Battleship Programme

Washington, D. C., July 22.—Whether there will be built this year one of two battleships or none will be the principal subject for decision by the Democratic caucus of the House Wednesday. The call for the caucus was ordered today. It followed on the report of the conferees on the naval appropriation bill that they were hopelessly deadlocked and, that under the respective instructions of the Senate and House, there appeared to be no hope of a compromise in sight.

CITY TREASURER DISAPPEARS.

Danville, Va., Official Leaves His Office Not to Return.

Danville, Va., July 22.—An investigation of the accounts of City Treasurer William S. Paylor was today ordered by the Finance Committee of the City Council. Paylor left his home last Wednesday and has not been located. A letter received by a relative said that Paylor did not expect to return.

A superficial examination of Paylor's accounts indicated that they were correct, but the council committee and the mayor ordered his office closed and the accounts investigated. Paylor's wife is prostrated because of his absence.

DENEEN FOR TAFT.

Will Not Vote the So-Called Progressive Ticket.

Springfield, Ill., July 22.—The committee of progressive Republicans appointed to see Governor Deneen and ascertain whether he would support Taft or Roosevelt for President, were informed by the Governor today that he considered Taft the regular nominee of the Republican party for President, and that as such he felt obliged to support his candidacy.

JUDGE HANFORD STEPS OUT

Washington Jurist Against Whom Charges Were Preferred Before House Committee —Has Checkered Career.

Seattle, Wash., July 22.—United States District Judge Cornelius Hanford, the first Federal judge appointed when Washington was admitted to Statehood 23 years ago, sent his resignation today to President Taft, while the last witnesses were awaiting to testify before the House Judiciary Committee which has been hearing evidence relative to charges of misconduct filed against Judge Hanford.

At the time set for the hearing this morning a series of conferences between the committeemen and Judge Hanford's attorneys was begun. The proposal that the judge resign and the hearing discontinued, was submitted by Judge Hanford's attorneys and accepted by the committee. Judge Hanford sent his resignation by telegraph to President Taft. At the same time Chairman Graham, of the sub-committee, sent a telegram to Chairman Clayton, of the House Judiciary Committee, telling him of the change in the situation and recommending the hearings be discontinued. Later a message came directing that the hearings be discontinued. The committee will leave tomorrow for Washington taking a voluminous record of the 20 days' testimony and also the records of the law suits on which most of the charges against Judge Hanford were based.

It is the general understanding that no further action of any kind will be taken by the House.

Judge Hanford's chief counsel, E. C. Hughes, said after the resignation, that the judge has desired to resign for several weeks, but could not well do so with no evidence heard in the case. The judge and his friends, according to counsel, are satisfied with the showing made by him in the hearing which, they say, did not sustain the charges.

That the judge was anxious to resign was kept a secret from all persons in Washington and from everybody in Seattle except his counsel. Judge Hanford gave ill health as the reason for his resignation.

Judge Hanford has been much in the public eye since August 25th, 1911, when, after he had issued an injunction hostile to the position of Seattle citizens in a five-cent fare fight against a street car company, he was denounced at a great mass meeting and resolutions demanding his impeachment were adopted.

While the meeting was in progress a crowd outside hanged in effigy a stuffed figure labelled "Hanford." One of the speakers at the meeting said that he had seen Judge Hanford intoxicated in a public place. The speakers at this meeting were arrested for interfering with an order of the court and some of them were kept in prison for several days. It appeared from the evidence in the hearing just ended that detectives were at once detailed to watch Judge Hanford and that every move he made from morning until late at night, was recorded. Several members of Congress were consulted relative to beginning impeachment proceedings against the judge.

In the Spring of this year during the Industrial Workers of the World demonstration in western Washington, Judge Hanford condemned the carrying of the red flag through the streets. On May 10th, Judge Hanford revoked the citizenship papers of Leonard Olson, of Tacoma, a member of the Socialist Labor party, and of the Industrial Workers of the World, because Olson, in appearing as a witness for another man seeking citizenship, had said in answer to a question that he was "not devotedly attached" to the constitution.

The National Convention of the Socialist party at Indianapolis took notice of Hanford's decision and asked Congressman Victor Berger to bring impeachment charges against Hanford. Berger introduced the charges on June 16th, accusing Hanford of rendering corrupt decisions and of being an habitual drunkard.

Eight supplemental charges against Hanford were filed directly with the Judiciary Committee of the House by a Seattle attorney.

The House unanimously referred Berger's charges to the House Judiciary Committee, and that body appointed a sub-committee composed of Representatives James Graham, of Illinois; Walter C. McCoy, of New Jersey, and Edward W. Higgins, of Connecticut, to take evidence in Seattle.

This sub-committee began its proceedings June 27th, and continued its sessions steadily.

Dozens of witnesses testified that they had seen Judge Hanford apparently intoxicated in the streets and street cars and a few swore that they had seen him apparently intoxicated in the court room. Many of Judge Hanford's friends testified that his peculiarities and mannerisms had been misunderstood.

Judge Hanford, 63 years old, has lived on Puget Sound 59 years. He was appointed Supreme Justice of the Territory of Washington in 1888 and on the admission of Washington to Statehood, became district judge.

Washington, July 22.—Chairman Henry D. Clayton, of the House Judiciary Committee, tonight announced that he considered unnecessary further impeachment proceedings against Federal Judge Hanford, of Washington, who today resigned. In a lengthy statement chairman Clayton declared that while Congress has the power to try a Federal officer for impeachment, even after he has resigned, he did not believe that course necessary in this case.

Chairman Clayton instructed the

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BRITAIN'S NAVY TO KEEP THE PACE

First Lord of Admiralty Introduces Supplementary Bill in House of Commons

"BUILD BUILD UNTIRINGLY"

Keynote of Great Speech—Germany's Naval Programme and Other Dangers as Seen by England's Statesmen

London, July 22.—The speech of Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, in introducing the supplementary naval appropriation of $5,000,000 in the House of Commons this afternoon, fully endorsed as it was, by the prime minister, will cause graver concern to the country than any warnings which have gone before.

Without the least offensiveness the first lord of the admiralty sketched the "unprecedented" risen German fleet which he described as "extremely formidable."

In order to bring home its size to his hearers, Mr. Churchill likened it to the great fleet which all saw at Spit Head, a short time ago. His text was "Build! Build untiringly!" through successive years as the only means of meeting the menace in the North sea.

And as if that were not enough, Mr. Churchill told the House that if the information received by the admiralty that a Mediterranean power—meaning Austria—was contemplating another considerable naval programme proved to be true, "it will constitute a naval factor requiring our prompt attention and not included in any forecast I have given of future naval construction."

Mr. Balfour, the former leader of the opposition, was prompt in his support of the government programme.

"Those who have listened to the speech of the First Lord," he said, "must now be convinced that there is no use talking about dropping our ship-building. The cost of the navy must increase as long as insane competition in ship-building goes on elsewhere. And though modern peace is as expensive as ancient war it is much cheaper than modern war."

A notable feature of the debate was Premier Asquith's call to the dominions to join in the defense of "our common heritage," and his remarks foreshadowing an early summoning of the statesmen of the self-governing colonies to participate in determining the policy of the Empire.

Mr. Churchill said the direct cause of the increase in expenditures on the British navy was to be found in the new German navy law, the main feature of which was the increase in the striking force of ships of all classes.

The effect of the new German navy law should, he said, be that nearly four-fifths of the entire German navy would be maintained in full permanent commission and instantly ready for war. The First Lord continued:

"Such preparation is remarkable and as far as I am aware finds no example in the previous practices of modern naval powers."

Mr. Churchill then announced the British ship-building programme for the next five years saying that five battleships were to be constructed next year and four in each of the following years.

The four battleships at Gibraltar, the speaker said, would be raised to eight vessels. Six old battleships would be withdrawn from Malta and be replaced by four battle cruisers of the invincible type and quality and the armored cruiser squadron there was to be strengthened by the addition of a submarine flotil- was to be increased, Mr. Churchill said and new torpedo boat stations were to be established at Alexandria.

The First Lord declared that he heard one of the Mediterranean powers contemplated another considerable naval programme so it was not unlikely that the British Mediterranean squadron would have to be reinforced in 1916.

Under the new German law the admiralty lord said, the ultimate scale of the German fleet would be 41 battleships, 20 large armored cruisers, 40 small cruisers, and smaller craft in proportion.

"That will be an extremely formidable fleet," Mr. Churchill said, "and the only way to meet it is by cool, steady and methodical preparation prolonged over successive years."

"The supplementary estimate to meet the extra German expenditure," Mr. Churchill said, "is only a small installment and the new ship-building programme of the next five years will be raised to five vessels next year and four boats each year thereafter instead of three in 1913, four in 1914, three in 1915, four in 1916 and three in 1917, the number I had hoped we might stand at."

Mr. Churchill pointed out that the increased fighting power of the German fleet involved the re-organization of the British forces in order that a necessary margin of safety might be maintained. The First Lord then announced that he intended to raise the number of battleships in full commission from 28 to 33 by 1914. From 1914 onwards Great Britain will have five battleship squadrons, totalling 41 ships and of the five squadrons four will be

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SPORTING EVENTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At St. Louis, 2; Philadelphia, 6.
At Pittsburg, 2; Boston, 0.
At Cincinnati, 1; New York, 4.
At Chicago, 10; Brooklyn, 3.

Sunday Games.

At Chicago, 6; Brooklyn, 1.
Second: Chicago, 11; Brooklyn, 4.
At Cincinnati, 6; New York, 12.
At St. Louis, 3; Philadelphia, 0.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	63	21	.750
Chicago	52	32	.619
Pittsburg	48	34	.585
Cincinnati	44	43	.506
Philadelphia	40	40	.500
St. Louis	38	51	.427
Brooklyn	31	55	.360
Boston	23	63	.267

St. Louis, July 22.—Gene Dale today pitching for St. Louis, walked nine Philadelphia players and made one wild pitch, Philadelphia winning 6 to 2.
Philadelphia ....000 040 200—6 10 0
St. Louis .....200 000 000—2 12 1
Brennan and Killifer; Dale and Bresnahan; time 2:15; umpires Klem and Bush.

Pittsburg, July 22.—In a game played in one hour and 15 minues, Pittsburg today defeated Boston 2 to 0. Only two Boston players reached third base.
Pittsburg .....100 001 00x—2 9 1
Boston .....000 000 000—0 6 1
Camnitz and Gibson; Brown and Rariden; time 1:15; umpires Johnstone and Eason.

Cincinnati, July 22.—With Mathewson pitching, New York won the second game of the series here today from Cincinnati 4 to 1. New York hit Suggs frequently, but the latter was well supported in the pinches. The hitting of Murray and Fletcher counted for runs, while McLean's single in the ninth brought Mitchell home with Cincinnati's only tally.
New York .....000 000 202—4 12 2
Cincinnati .....000 000 001—1 8 2
Mathewson and Meyers and Hartley; Suggs and McLean; time 1:42; umpires Rigler and Finneran.

Chicago, July 22.—Chicago made it three straight from Brooklyn by winning today's game 10 to 3. Barger was wild and Chicago bunched its hits off his delivery. Evers' batting featured.
Chicago .....010 023 22x—10 14 2
Brooklyn .....010 000 200— 3 10 1
Richie and Needham; Barger and Miller; time 1:40; umpires Owens and Brennan.

International League

At Montreal 5; Baltimore 10.
At Rochester 7; Newark 5.
At Buffalo 10; Jersey City 5.
Second: Jersey City 7; Buffalo 6.
At Toronto 2; Providence 6.

American Association

At Minneapolis-Louisville, rain.
At St. Paul 4; Indianapolis 3.
At Milwaukee 4; Columbus 8.
At Kansas City 3; Toledo 5.

Southern League

At Mobile 4; Nashville 3.
At Montgomery 2; Atlanta 5.
At Birmingham 6; Chattanooga 1.
At New Orleans 4; Memphis 3.

South Atlantic League

At Macon 2; Columbus 1.
At Albany 5; Savannah 2.
At Jacksonville 6; Columbia 2.

Carolina League

At Greensboro 5; Anderson 1.
At Greenville-Charlotte, rain.
At Spartanburg 2; Winston-Salem three.

Appalachian League

At Bristol-Asheville, rain.
At Johnson City-Cleveland, rain.

Virginia League

At Norfolk 5; Petersburg 3.
At Newport News 0; Richmond 3.
At Roanoke 3; Portsmouth 1.

YACHT RACES OVER.

Olympic Games Concluded at Stockholm—Sweden Leads.

Stockholm, July 22.—The Olympic games concluded today with the finish of the yacht races. With the points gained in the yachting events, Sweden leads the Nations in the number of points in all events, Sweden's total being 133, only four points ahead of the United States, in spite of the fact that there was no American representative in the yacht competitions. Great Britain stands third, with a total of 76 points. The United States leads in firsts with 25 to Sweden's 23.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Quite a Number of Deeds Were Filed For Record Yesterday

Deeds were filed for recod yesterday as follows: B. G. Empie and wife to Mattie A. Roderick, for $10 and other considerations, lot on Third, 198 feet south of Meares; Jas. T. English and wife to Robert M. Grissom and wife, for $25 tract in Federal Point township, containing two acres; S. S. Burriss and othes to William A. Simon and wife, for $10 and other considerations, lot on Wright, 41 1-4 feet west of Fifth street, 59 3-4x75 feet in size; Mary Capps and husband to K. C. Sidbury, for $100 and other considerations, lot on Queen, 165 feet west of Front street, 66x66 feet in size; E. J. Anders and wife to Irene Pettway, for $100 and other considerations, lot 6 in Sea Gate Park; V. Sidbury to J. I. Crews and T. N. Crews, for $10 and other considerations, lot on Castle, 132 feet west of 16th street, 23x183 feet in size; J. I. Crews and wife to V. Sidbury, for $1 and other considerations, lot on Church, 264 feet east of 14th street 33x82 1-2 feet in size; also lot on King, 264 feet east of 14th street, 33x82 feet in size.

Three Great Pictures

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The Southern National Bank

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Washington, 5; Detroit, 2.
At Boston, 8; Cleveland, 3.
At New York, 13; Chicago, 3.
At Philadelphia, 15; St. Louis, 4.

Standing of the Clubs.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Boston	62	27	.697
Washington	55	34	.618
Philadelphia	51	38	.573
Chicago	45	41	.525
Cleveland	43	47	.478
Detroit	43	47	.478
St. Louis	25	60	.294
New York	26	56	.317

Philadelphia, July 22.—Philadelphia batted hard here this afternoon and defeated St. Louis by 15 to 4. Allison was knocked off the rubber in six innings.
St. Louis .....000 110 200— 4 6 7
Philadelphia ..303 103 41x—15 14 2
Allison, C. Brown and Stephens and Snell; Houck and Lapp; time 2:05; umpire Deneen.

Washington, July 22.—Walter Johnson held Detroit safe today and Washington won 5 to 3. Johnson struck out seven batters in the first three innings and then let up when the locals had a good lead, Crawford hitting him for two doubles to the score board.
Detroit .....000 000 201—3 7 1
Washington ....020 300 00x—5 14 3
Works and Stanage; Johnson and Ainsmith; time 1:35; umpires Westervelt and Evans.

Boston, July 22.—Harry Krauz, one-time pitcher of the Athletics, on his return to the Major League in a Cleveland uniform today, was batted out of the box by Boston and the Red Sox won 8 to 3. Baskette, who relieved Krauz in the fourth was hit freely. Krauz was given poor support.
Boston .....300 311 00x—8 11 2
Cleveland .....000 200 010—3 9 3
O'Brien and Carrigan; Krauz, Baskette and O'Neil; time 2:00; umpires Hart and Connolly.

New York, July 22.—New York easily defeated Chicago in the first game of the series today 13 to 3. Fisher, who won his first game of the season, pitched splendidly for New York, while Peters and Bell were hammered hard. Catcher Kuhn, of the visitors, split a finger in the third inning and had to retire.
Chicago .....010 200 000— 3 6 4
New York .....412 001 05x—13 14 0
Peters, Bell and Kuhn and Sullivan; Fisher and Sweeney; time 1:55; umpires Egan and Sheridan.

CAROLINA ASSOCIATION.

Results Yesterday:

At Greensboro, 5; Anderson, 1.
At Greenville-Charlotte (rain).
At Spartanburg, 2; Winston-Salem, 3.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Anderson	45	28	.616
Charlotte	43	29	.597
Winston-Salem	41	34	.547
Spartanburg	32	42	.432
Greensboro	34	40	.456
Greenville	26	48	.351

RACING AT DETROIT.

Opening of Grand Circuit Meet at State Fair Grounds.

Detroit, Mich., July 22.—Veteran Ed Geers, always the favorite of the crowd, justified the confidence of his admirers at the opening of the grand circuit meet at the State Fair grounds this afternoon by driving his two starters to victory, PeeWee taking the 2:16 trot and Dudie Archdale the 2:07 trot, both in straight heats.

After finishing two heats in the rear, Our Colonel showed remarkable improvement and captured the next three heats of the 2:15 pace.

Geers drove a beautiful three heats in the 2:16 trot. In each round he kept PeeWee back in the bunch until well into the stretch. Then overhauling the leaders, he passed them one by one, winning by narrow margins, but without urging.

ROCK HILL GETS FRANCHISE.

Anderson Apparently Dropped Out of Carolina Association.

Charlotte, N. C., July 22.—The first break in the club personnel of the Carolina League during the five years of its organization came today when President Smith ordered his club to report in Rock Hill, S. C., for the next series which is to be played against Winston-Salem. It is understood that overtures made by Rock Hill parties to the owners of the Anderson franchise were accepted tonight and that the team will finish the season in that town. The Anderson team is in the lead in the race this year, but the attendance at Anderson has been lower than for any of the four previous years.

PROHIBITIVE AND ILLEGAL

Virginia Hands Down Decision In the Trading Stamp Cases

Norfolk, Va., July 22. — Federal Judge Waddill has granted temporary injunctions restraining the city of Newport News from enforcing a license tax ordinance imposing annual license of $1,000 on non-resident trading stamp companies.

The injunctions were asked by the companies on the ground that the high license was imposed as a prohibitive measure and, therefore, illegal. The injunction against the city will remain in force until the question is settled.

NEW PITCHING RECORD.

Gordon, of Norfolk, Strikes Out 15 Men in Nine Innings.

Norfolk, Va., July 22.—A new record for the Virginia League was made here today by Gordon, Norfolk pitcher, in the game with Petersburg, by striking out 15 men in the nine innings. The former record was 14 strike-outs.

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WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH

Miss Patsey Smith, of Raleigh, is the attractive guest of Miss Florrie Northrop for several weeks.

Yesterday's Charlotte Observer: "Mrs. R. G. Hayes and children have returned from Wrightsville, where they spent two weeks on the coast."

After a delightful stay of some days at the Hanover Inn, Mrs. Geo. H. Snow and daughter, Mrs. A. L. Boylston, of Raleigh, returned yesterday to their home.

Among the recent arrivals at The Hanover Inn are L. I. Gregory and E. T. Gregory, Spartanburg, S. C.; Arthur McKinnon, Maxton; Thomas Boushall, Raleigh.

Messrs. J. M. Davs, L. D. McEachern, M. Manheim, Jr., Luther Mace, of Marion, S. C., and E. J. Staple, of Dillon, S. C., compose a party of young men at the Hanover Inn for a stay of some days.

The burning out of one of the motors at the Tidewater power house in the city interrupted traffic on the beach line Sunday afternon. The trouble was soon repaired and the operation of cars resumed.

R. H. Sykes, Esq., of Durham, is spending a few days at the Seashore Hotel. Mr. Sykes is formerly of Wilmington, where his father, Mr. T. P. Sykes, now resides. He has been pleasantly greeted by many friends.

The large turtle captured at Lumina some days ago by a fisherman from the Hanover Inn and has since attracted considerable attention at the hotel, was butchered yesterday and guests of the popular hostelry will feast for a few days on fine turtle meat and soup.

Sunday's Charlotte Observer says: "Mr. and Mrs. James Latimer McClintock will leave tomorrow morning for Maxton where they will spend a day or two with Mrs. T. O. Evans before going to Wrightsville Beach where they will spend a week or 10 days."

Mrs. W. S. Montgomery, Miss Lucile Montgomery and Miss Jessie Thompson, of Spartanburg, S. C., arrived yesterday to spend some time at the Seashore Hotel. Among other arrivals yesterday were M. H. Hubbard, L. J. Robbins and family, Florence; G. A. Sohl, Atlanta; Mrs. W. H. Mills and child, Columbia.

Mr. Benjamin White, formerly of this city, but now representing the Borden Condensed Milk Company, in the State of Georgia, is spending two weeks at the Seashore Hotel. Mr. White is a brother of Misses Carrie and Ellie White, of Wilmington, and is being cordially welcomed by his many friends here.

The revenue cutter Seminole, Capt. Berry, expected to leave Wilmington some time early this morning for Wrightsville Beach and the plan is to anchor off The Oceanic Hotel, where an exciting boat drill will be given, if the weather permits. The cutter is expected to arrive some time between 4 and 6 o'clock this afternoon. She will come as near to the hotel as possible and then drop anchor for the night. The drill will take place soon after arrival if the weather is favorable. Tomorrow the cutter will proceed up the coast on a regular cruise.

Sunday's arrivals at The Seashore included the following: H. S. Smith, Detroit, Mich.; C. M. Woods and R. G. Woods, Los Angeles, Cal.; W. I. Hix, Rocky Mount; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clark, Bolton; W. D. Adams and C. E. Davis, Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Swayne, Richmond, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Bass, Mullins, S. C.; J. H. Currie, Fayetteville; P. D. Gold, Jr., Raleigh; Hon. O. L. Clark, Clarkton; Peter McQueen, Jr., White Oak; J. W. Glover, Marietta, Ga.; W. H. Smith, Laurinburg; R. M. Pratt, Wadesboro; W. R. Saunders, Jr., and C. S. Saunders, Raleigh; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Long, Chadbourn; J. Ross Neal, Burgaw; Chas. Johnson and P. B. Johnson, Benson; Wm. DeVines, Rocky Mount; W. J. Ellington and W. M. Ellington, Raleigh; Sol. Clark, Columbia; Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Aycock, Fremont; David H. Garden, Atlanta; B. F. White, Jr., Savannaa; Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Clark, Miss Marie L. Clark, Mr and Mrs. J. L. Clark, Morris Clark, Mrs. E. Clark, Miss Clark, Miss Hass, Atlanta; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Johnson, Columbus; Miss L. Freeman, Miss Dougherty and Miss Bentley, Atlanta; J. O. Goodpasture and R. F. Rossett, Nashville; Edward Henderson, St. Louis; J. W. Brewster, Alexanderia, Va.; A. J. Robbins, Southport.

Yesterday's arrivals at The Oceanic included the following: Louis A. Meyerson and Ben W. McCrary, Saprtanburg, S. C.; Jack McCrary, Laurens, S. C.; W. H. Barton, Anderson, S. C.; A. L. Guthman, Atlanta; J. J. Cozzrons and E. W. Brown, New York city.

The following were among those who registered Sunday at the Oceanic Hotel: W. H. Eden, Fayetteville; Mr. and Mrs. Billie D. Osman, New York; Miss Jennie Davis, Winston; E. W. Henderson, St. Louis; W. B. Burnett, Athens; G. H. Brockenbrough and R. L. Healey, Charlotte; Miss Mary B. Lewis, Birmingham; Miss Margarette Phillips, Suffolk; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Glove, M. A. Lanford, Mrs Wickham, Mrs. J. G. Evans, Miss Clara Evans, Miss Mary Evans, Atlanta; J. W. Brooks, Chicago; H. C. Petty, J. P. O'Brien, J. C. Wagoner, Miss Wagoner, Miss Grace Bannerman, C. P. Cline, Hamlet; R. C. Simpson and F. C. Krueger, Charleston, S. C.; C. L. Jenkins and G. A. McKnight, Greensboro; Mr. and Mrs. F. Dawkins, Richmond; E. A. Griffle, Sanford; L. G. Haire and Miss Bond, Fayetteville; J. W. Jones, Winston-Salem; Mrs. R. J. Walker and maid, Alexander Walker, Miss Allie Walker, Robert Walker, Jr., Charlotte; J. Wade Siler, Siler City; E. P. Sasser, Virginia; C. Elmer Green, Birmingham; J. Brantley and E. Marks, Atlanta; H. C. Tillman, C. A. Collins and F. C. Bauman, Greenwood, S. C.; Dr. R. B. Adams, Miss Mamie Conway, J. E. Spear, G. A. Harhour, C. N. James, Miss Estelle Garrett Baker, Mrs. F. V. Alston, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Sewell and children, Miss D. Lemar, Atlanta; John D. Futch, Jr., Monroe, N. C.

Members of the old volunteer fire department of Cedartown, Ga., maintained now as a social organization, members of their families and a number of friends, arrived Sunday at the Oceanic Hotel for a stay of ten days at that popular hotel, where their every comfort and convenience is being carefully looked after by Manager Jesse N. Couch and his corps of capable assistants. The Cedartown firemen and their friends have been coming to Wrightsville Beach for the past several years, but last year they had their annual outing elsewhere. They say there is no place like Wrightsville Beach and this opinion of the South's premier seaside resort was strengthened after visiting some other place last season. Those in the party are: S. P. Holloway, J. T. West, Chas. K. James, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Wood, Mrs. Bingham and daughter, Mrs. Chambliss, J. C. Walker, J. R. Judkins, Chas. Beasley, S. B. Brewster, Wm. Jones, L. A. Parks, K. J. Fielden, C. V. Wood, G. Norman, W. G. England, M. S. Russell, John Hightower, E. A. King, John Dodge, P. G. Carmichael, J. F. Thompson, S. L. Bridgers, Hal Lane, Wm. Capers, Glenn Payne, W. A. Goode and son, C. C. Berman, H. W. Flournay, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Rice S. V. Richardson, Mrs. H. Shevers, son and daughter, Mr and Mrs. J. E. Good.

Mrs. Frank Pearson, of Atlanta, began her concert engagement at Lumina Sunday and met with a most enthusiastic reception. She sang at both the afternoon and night concerts to unusually large audiences who were charmed with her renditions. It is believed that the audience at the night concert is the largest that has ever attended any concert at Lumina. Every seat was taken and all the aisles were filled when Mrs. Pearson made her appearance. That the expectations of the audience were entirely fulfilled was shown by the hearty and continued applause which greeted the singing of this talented artist. Her fine soprano voice could be heard in all parts of the ball room. Her song for the afternoon concet was "Beautiful Lady," and at the night concert, "Mine," both of which she sang delightfully. As has been announced in these columns Mrs. Pearson will fill an engagement at Lumina of several weeks, and thus an opportunity is afforded the public of hearing concerts of a very high order, for Mrs. Pearson has a wide reputation as an artist of ability. Besides singing at the Sunday concerts Mrs. Pearson will sing at Lumina at intervals during the week. Her first appearance in a song programme during the week will be on Thursday night. In addition to the songs by Mrs. Pearson unusually good concerts were given by the orchestra. The night concert was especially fine, an elaborate programme having been arranged. An important number at the night concert was a cornet solo, "Ave Marie," by Mr. Elam, whose performance is to be highly commended. The "Anvil Chorus" from Il Trovatore, played with electrical effects, was another number deserving of special mention. The electrical effects skillfully managed by Mr. Woodward of the orchestra, gave a realistic representation of a blacksmith's forge. It is likely that the orchestra will be asked to repeat this number at an early date. The "Madam Butterfly" selections, melodies from "The Chocolate Soldier" at the night concert; and "Bohemian Girl" and "The Pink Lady" selections at the afternoon concerts were all skillfully played by the orchestra. Professor Kneisel promises an even more elaborate programme for next Sunday's concerts, and preparations will be made for taking care of a large crowd.

CARDINAL FARLEY PRESIDES

Consecrates Church for Use of Spanish-Speaking Catholics

New York, July 21.—Cardinal Farley presided today at the consecration of the Church of Our Lady of Hope, on Washington Heights, near the Hispanic Museum, which was built for the use of Spanish-speaking Catholics of the city. The list of benefactors of the new church includes many well-known persons. Archer M. Huntington, a son of the late Collis P. Huntington, gave the grounds for the edifice and also contributed a large sum toward building the church.

Among the donors of interior furnishings is King Alfonso, of Spain, who sent a massive silver gilt lamp bearing the royal Spanish coat-of-arms and also a painting of St. Joseph and the Holy Child. The main altar and the communion rail were gifts of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C. Penfield, Mrs. Frederick W. Vanderbilt contributed the organ and a set of ecclesiastical candlesticks; Thomas Fortune Ryan donated the stations of the cross, and J. Pierpont Morgan and Amos F. Enos gave the church one of the side altars.

The pastor of the new church, which is the only purely Spanish church in the city is Father Adrian Buisson.

Cardinal Farley in his address laid especial stress upon the fact that much of the expense of the building and its furnishings had been met by non-Catholics.

MIDSHIPMAN KILLED

Meets Death After Accomplishing Defeat Demanded by Tradition

Annapolis, Md., July 21.—William L. Bullock, of Coriscana, Texas, a midshipman of six weeks' standing at the Naval Academy, was killed this afternoon by falling from the top of the mainmast of the "Hartford" to the deck, a distance of about 100 feet. His neck was broken and he died instantly.

Bullock had just accomplished a feat which tradition demands of a new midshipman, the climbing of the mainmast of the Hartford and the transfixing of his cap on the spike which adorns the top. He tried to slide down, but the rope burned his hands, and in trying to get another hold lost his balance and fell. He struck the cross-bars on his descent and probably received his fatal injury then.

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AFFAIRS AT STATE CAPITAL

Number of Charters Issued—Progress In Western Carolina—Senatorial Differences Again—Dr. Jordan Lectures

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 22.—The American Hosiery Mills Co., of Kernersville, Forsythe county, received a charter today with $125,000 capital by J. A. Hollomono, J. G. Kerner and O. W. Kerner, of Kernersville. The company has authority to conduct knitting mills and various other enterprises.

Other charters are for the Farmers' Union Cotton Ginning Co., of Bobbitt, Vance county, capital $25,000 authorized and $2,000 subscribed and the Planters' Oil Co., of Louisburg, capital $50,000 authorized and $25,000 subscribed for milling cotton and cotton products and operating cotton gins. The incorporators of the Bobbitt enterprise include J. A. Edwards and H. M. High. R. P. Floyd is one of a number of incorporators for the Louisburg company.

Hon. M. L. Shipman, State commissioner of labor and printing, just back from Hendersonville and other points in Western Carolina, says the outlook for big Democratic majorities were never so fine in Western Carolina and that the mountains are rapidly filling up with tourists, with prospects that the remainder of the season will be marked by record-breaking crowds at all the mountain resorts. Mr. Shipman says Henderson county is pushing rapidly her section of the Vance-Hampton highway, Hendersonville to Greenville, S. C., a distance of 44 miles. The South Carolina section of the road is being constructed rapidly and indications are that the highway, a most important one for that section of the two States, will be speedily completed.

In the First Baptist church last night Dr. David Starr Jordan, the distinguished president of Lenand Stanford University, addressed an immense audience, giving his famous address on "The Case Against War" a splendid appeal for universal peace and universal respect. He is director of the World Peace Foundation and a leader in the universal peace movement. The address made a profound impression, appealing, as it does, for unreasoning anger to be kept out of the councils of the world and showing the terrible waste of war in men, blood and tears and in property. Dr. Jordan has been in the city three days and received many social attentions including dinners, automobile trips of special interest.

It is learned that an effort has been on foot for some days in which Manager Walter Clark, Jr., for the campaign of Chief Justice Walter Clark, took the initiative, to bring about an agreement whereby the three candidates for the United States Senate would co-operate in the matte of getting out the tickets throughout the State for the primary and save thereby many hundreds of dollars to each candidate. However the plan, it is said, has failed to work out, since Senator Simmons has failed to indicate a willingness to join in a co-operative scheme of that sort. His friends say he prefers to fight his own battles all along the line without alliances with either of the two candidates who are seeking to capture his seat in the Senate. It is said that Governor Kitchin replied very favorably to Judge Clark's proposition for co-operation. This correspondence may be made public in the near future along with notation of the fact that Senator Simmons failed to make any response as to his taking any share in a plan for co-operation.

KILLINGS NEAR CHADBOURN.

Gause Kills His Wife and Boys Shoot Aged Negro.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Chadbourn, N. C., July 22.—Two tragedies occurred within the Chadbourn vicinity during the past 24 hours, the first being the murder of Mrs. Mack Gause, living about five miles from Chadbourn, who was shot and instantly killed by her husband. Jealousy is said to be the cause. Both parties are white and about 65 years of age. The second occurred within the city limits of Chadbourn this afternoon. About 3 o'clock, two boys, one white and one colored, aged six and seven years, respectively, while out hunting with rifles, shot and killed an aged colored man by the name of Shippman. Shippman was a visitor at the home of another negro where the tragedy occurred. The negro whom Shippman was visiting, claims that the boys were shooting at the house when he arose and went to the door to remonstrate with them. The next shot that was fired took effect in the neck of Shippman, who had at that time arisen and was standing in the doorway. He died almost instantly. The boys' tale of the affair differs, however, from that told by the negro. They claim that they were shooting at a pine tree and that the killing was accidental. Both boys were taken in custody by the town authorities awaiting the arrival of the coroner.

C. & O. AFFAIRS.

Chairman of Board of Directors Says No Shake-Up Coming.

New York, July 22.—In a statement issued today Frank Trumbull, chairman of the board of directors of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, denies a rumor recently current that George W. Stevens, president of the road, proposes to resign. Mr. Trumbull, in making the denial, said:

"Mr. Stevens has not been discussed by the board in any way except to commed his highly for his efficient and valuable service. We all regard him as the best man we could get for the presidency of the company."

Mr. Trumbull also denied as incorrect reports that a general shake-up on thel Chesapeake & Ohio was impending.

Bristol, Tenn., July 22.—A special from Johnson City, Tenn., says William Sanders was stabbed to death in a local soft drink stand early tonight. Edward Smith, who was arrested a half hour later, confessed to the killing but plead justification. Sanders is 30 years old and unmarried.

RAVEN INVETERATE THIEF.

Bird Will Carry Off Especially Things That Glitter.

(From the New York Press.)

Of all animal thieves the raven is the most amusing, since he steals for the pleasure of stealing. The hiding of stolen articles seems to be the main thing with Monsieur Corvus Corax.

A man who owned a pet raven cut down a rotten plum tree. It was found to be hollow to the core, and this hollow had served as a sort of "robber's cave" for the raven. There was taken out a basketful of things, the accumulation of months, which had been stolen and hidden away by this bird. The board was of a most miscellaneous character — spoons, knives, thimbles and pens; a pair of scissors, a comb, a bundle of shoelaces, a meerschaum pipe, two boxes of matches, etc.

Depositing the loot on the ground beside the fallen tree, the owner got hold of the raven and laid him down beside these proofs of his knavery. The rascal was quite equal to the occasion, for he straightway assumed a an aspect of perfect innocence and unconcern.

With one eye fixed on his master, he seemed to inquire what this was all about, and to ask what in the world he had to do with it, while with the other eye the bird glanced about at the things spread on the ground with a merry blink that clearly indicated a lively recollection of the delight the stealing of them had afforded him.

The owner hid himself. While the raven thought himself alone he looked keenly around, croaked twice a deep guttural croak, and walked about the disentombed artices as if admiring them. He then took a spoon in his beak, and, carrying it with quick, decided step to the opposite side of the garden, hid it carefully among the broad leaves of a big rhubarb plants He repeated the proceeding with every article of the hoard. When his job had been completed, he uttered the favorite exclamation of the raven when he imagines he has just accomplished something exceedingly clever and is perfectly satisfied with himself—a curious combination of laugh chuckle and croak, specially reserved for such occasions.

QUESTION OF VORTEX

How Victims of Shipwreck Are Sucked Down to Death

(From the London Graphic).

Vortex is a word of enormous import to the giant liner; but a short while ago it was proved that the Olympic, sister to the ill-fated Titanic, was rammed and badly damaged by the cruiser Hawke, the cause of the collision being chiefly suction. This suction is caused by the passing of the huge bulk of the liner's hull through the water, setting up a vortex, which in the ordinary meaning of the term is a whirlpool, and is caused by the conflicting currents astern of the vessel. These rotate, and by so doing suck in any smaller object, and was probably the cause of the liner New York breaking from her moorings when the Titanic was passing out of Southampton docks at the beginning of her first and last voyage.

The generally accepted theory with regard to a vortex formed by a sinking vessel may be described thus:

When a vessel sinks this vortex is very pronounced. As the ship dips below the surface the water displaced by her hull commences to whirl in a series of eddies, and anything—as in the case of the Titanic—that may be within half a mile radius would be sucked into this fatal maelstrom. At a greater distance still boats well manned would be able to fight against the suction, but objects such as rafts, human beings supported by life preservers, wreckage, etc., would be inevitably sucked down, and at even a greater range the pull would be felt a short while, rapidly diminishing as the huge wreck sunk lower but even as she went downward all the ill-fated boats, etc., would be still whirling right above her until she finally rested upon the bottom stationary and thus stopped the vortex and released the objects that she had sucked with her to her doom.

YOU LOSE TO WIN IN TEXAS

Gain Husband at Cost of Coverture Disabilities

(Leslie's Weekly).

In Texas an unmarried woman is eligible for any county office, but since all county officers have to give bonds wives are not eligible because Texas law declares that a Texas wife cannot execute a valid bond. Unmarried women have held various county offices much as county superintendent, county clerk, and county treasurer, and no court has ever questioned their legal right to do so. But let a woman marry and accumulate a sick husband and several children, and her legal rights disappear as her need and those of the people dependent upon her increase.

The only way out for a married woman is for her to have what are known legally as her "coverture disabilities" removed for trading purposes, by a suit in the district court in the manner provided by law. She thereupon becomes eligible to execute a binding official bond, such as is required of county officials and she can then hold office in the State just as a man or an unmarried woman can. The procedure is cumbersome, long drawn out, and exasperating, say the Texas women who have gone through with it, and in an effort to catch up with China a demand will be made on the next Texas Legislature to remove the disabilities from married women altogether.

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EXPLOSION ON PILOT BOAT

Capt. Bertram Adkins Seriously Burned When Frances Elizabeth Was Destroyed—Capt. J. O. Daniels Hurt

Capt. Bertram Adkins, son of Capt. J. J. Adkins, of Southport, was horribly, probably fatally, burned Sunday afternoon, when gasoline leaking from the tank of the pilot boat Frances Elizabeth, bound from Southport to Wilmington, caused an explosion of the engine and tank about two miles this side of Southport, setting fire to the craft, which was consumed by the flames. Capt. J. O. Daniels, who was in command of the boat, was standing on the cabin and he is said to have been blown 20 feet in the air and in falling again on the boat, hurt his back, but not seriously, being able to be out yesterday.

Capt. Daniels fell or jumped overboard after his enforced journey through the air. Capt. Adkins, though fearfully burned and suffering great agony, managed to launch the little life boat carried on the Frances and soon had Capt. Daniels in the craft with him. They returned to Southport, where they received medical attention.

The Frances Elizabeth had been lying up at her wharf at Southport for some time and Sunday was being brought to Wilmington to be placed on the marine railway. She sailed from Southport and when about two miles away Capt. Adkins went to the engine roo mto start the gasoline engine. The gasoline was leaking and before steps could be taken to remedy the condition the gasoline caught fire, resulting in the explosion.

The boat was valued at about $7,000. She was owned by Captains J. J. Adkins, J. O. Daniels, Hawley and Jack Adkins. The engine in the craft was 100-horsepower Globe and said to have cost $5,000.

Mr. J. H. Stone, of Wilmington, was at Southport, and although the unfortunate launch was two miles away he could plainly see the fire which destroyed her. Information received yesterday was to the effect that while Capt. Adkins was seriously burned he had a chance to recover. He was brought up to the city and taken to the hospital.

Washington, D. C., July 22.—At the White House today a $50 bill for President Taft's campaign fund was received from a preacher in Galveston, Tex., who wrote: "I find things given in secret reach Heaven; therefore, I prefer my name remain secret."

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DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90, ! 3:40 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 13:35 P. M. and Richmond 14:10 P. M.	No. 91, a 1:00 A. M.
No. 51, 5:35 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars Between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50, *12:30 A. M.
No. 64, ! 5:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 65, ! 6:25 P. M.
No. 48, * 8:30 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford Through Pullman Parlor Car Service between Wilmington and Greensboro.	No. 52, * 8:05 P. M.
N. 55, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadourn, Conway (1), Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, 1:40 P. M.
No. 62. 3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 63, 12:50 P.M.
No. 59, ! 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations.	No. 60, 110:15 A. M.
No. 42, * 7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broller, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, *10:00 A. M.
No. 57 * 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate Stations.	No. 58. * 8:30 A. M.

* Daily. ! Daily except Sunday. a Daily except Monday.

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W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager. T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent.
WILMINGTON, N. C.

To the Beach

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE
In Effect June 1st, 1912.

WEEK DAYS:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach
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* Business Men's Express daily except Saturday and Sunday stops only at Wrightsville and stations on the Beach.

FREIGHT:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
6:00 A.M.	7:15 A.M.
10:00 A.M.	12:15 P.M.
4:00 P.M.	6:15 P.M.
7:00 P.M.	8:15 P.M.

Freight denot open daily except Sunday from 8:00 A. M. until 1:00 P. M., and from 2:00 P. M. until 7:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
7:00 A.M.	7:15 A.M.
8:30 A.M.	7:45 A.M.
and every	9:15 A.M.
half hour	and every
thereafter	half hour
until	thereafter
11:00 P.M.	until
12:00 P.M.	11:45 P.M.

FREIGHT:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
11:00 A.M.	12:15 P.M.

Freight depot open Sundays from 10:00 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.
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W. B. & S. R. R.
Schedule in Effect Sunday, July 14th, 1912.

P. M.		A. M.
*3:15 Lv.	Wilmington	Ar. 8:30
4:05 "	Town Creek	" 7:35
4:20 "	Bolivia	" 7:20
4:55 Ar.	Southport	Lv. 6:45

* Daily, except Sunday.

Special train operated Sunday only, leaving Southport, 6:45 A. M., arriving Wilmington, 8:30 A. M. Returning, leave Wilmington 7:30 P. M., arriving Southport 9:00 P. M.

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No. 39—3:25 P. M.; arrive Hamlet 7:40 P. M.; leave Hamlet 8 P. M.; arrive Charlotte, 11 P. M. Connects at Hamlet with through trains for Atlanta, Birmingham, Columbia, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa. Also Norfolk, Richmond and all points north. Pullman chair car between Wilmington and Charlotte, and sleeper between Wilmington and Atlanta daily. Through to Birmingham Sundays and Wednesdays.
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No. 44—12:10 A. M., from Charlotte and intermediate points.
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Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	6:55 p.m.
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Tuesday, July 23, 1912.

For a real square deal get in the game with Wilson.

Some men are so stingy they won't even give good advice to their boys.

Nobody seems to show any disposition to give The Interests the bunny hug.

Many people continue to lie in spite of the fact that most everybody is at present from Missouri.

Ten-cent watermelons sold for 25 cents last week, but the price has declined to 20 cents this week.

Taft is playing golf and saying nothing. In the meantime, he has several enemies who have written books.

A political prophet is without honor if he predicts and causes his friends to lose their money on the election.

An obstinate man cannot be depended upon to make a good follower. The arbitrary man can never make a good leader.

Kansas boasts of a candidate named Hancuff. It would be entirely superfluous to say that he is running for sheriff.

The price of seats in the new party convention at Chicago has been fixed at $10, $15 and $20. That looks like a plan to keep the "plain people" on the outside.

A Pennsylvania court has ruled that a voter's home is where his wife lives. Well, some men's wives live in expectation, so we have to go right on guessing whether some voters really have a home.

Senator Dixon went out to Michigan and persuaded the "Progressives" to quit the Republican party and sever all relations with it. He must have made up his mind to quit it himself and sink or swim with Bull Mooseism.

Parisian costumes have decreed that the straight front dress must go and that it must be succeeded by dresses with much fuller fronts. Our Parisian lady friends must have gotten tired looking like an ironing board diked out in a big hat.

It is estimated that it will cost $15,000,000 to organize the Roosevelt party and finance the third term aspirations of the Colonel. The promoters of the party are now getting down to business. After having depended on hot air, they now call for money.

A Fall River cotton manufacturer recently died and left an estate of $40,000,000. Of course, the protective tariff helped to make him rich but what proportion of the tariff benefits fell to the lot of the operatives who produced his wealth and without whose skill and industry he could not have been a successful manufacturer? Republicans tell us that protection is for the benefit of the working men, and yet it makes millionaires of the manufacturers instead of the operatives.

The Charlotte News officiously and unauthoritatively announces that "pie is losing its hold upon mankind." Bob Phillips, of the Greensboro News, is the only recognized authority on pie, and the Charlotte News will be considered as an interloper, usurper and butter-in on the preserves and prerogatives of Bob. To boldly announce that "pie is losing its holt," as they say in Greensboro, is an error if not a prevarication. Pies, such as they make in Greensboro, have not only not lost their "holt," but they get such a grip on a fellow that a doctor has to be called in to "loosen them up," according to Charlotte pariance.

PROSPECTS FOR COALING STATION.

There is renewed talk that the Clinchfield coal road is seeking an ocean gateway on the North Carolina coast, and that it is strongly probable that the Clinchfield Corporation will establish a coaling station at Southport, the closest deep water harbor to the Atlantic steamship routes. Evidently, something is on foot, for it was announced in the Manufacturers' Record last week that the Clinchfield Coal Corporation has increased its capital stock from $10,000,000 to $18,000,000. That is believed to be significant of some important movement, and coupled with it are more rumors that the Clinchfield interests have decided upon a coaling station at the ocean outlet of the Cape Fear. In that connection, the Charlotte Observer on Sunday contained an article from which we take the following:

"In the latest evolution of the Clinchfield Coal Corporation railroad now planning a direct connection with the harbor at Southport, Charlotte seems to be in the path of the development now held in mind. For some time it has been talked among railroad men that the Clinchfield would get to the North Carolina coast, either by means of connection with the Seaboard or by building a direct line of its own. The former alternative is regarded as the most probable since the two roads have been in close affiliation with each other in their past operations."

Owing to several changes in the ownership and management of the Clinchfield & Ohio Railroad, we are not prepared to say what the connection is between the railroad company and the Clinchfield Corporation, which owns the coal regions tapped by the road. We understand, however, that they are two separate corporations, but there is little doubt those interested in both have mutual interests. They may, in a way, be the same, for the road was originally built to provide an ocean outlet for the coal of the mining company. There have been rumors that the Clinchfield road had fallen under control of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad, but whatever may be the ownership of the road, it will depend upon the coal interests for the traffic for which it was built. Under any circumstances, the logical outlet for the mine products made available by the Clinchfield road is at Wilmington and Southport. We are prepared, therefore, to believe that it is imperative that either the Clinchfield Corporation itself, or the railroad interests, shall make Southport a coal depot.

There is every reason why Southport should be made a coal port, the chief reason being its natural advantages as a deep water point and its geographical position with regard to commerce that must pass close to the Cape Fear gateway when the Panama canal is open to traffic. Another reason is that the Clinchfield road already owns advantageous deep water front at Southport, purchased when the road was originally planned and evidently held in reserve for use at the proper time. Recently officials of the road came to Southport to inspect the company's property, and it is conjectured that the purpose was either to sell the property or to arrange for its utilization. The Observer, in the article from which we have quoted, discusses the latest rumor at some length and adds:

"Originally, two seaports were held in mind, Charleston and Southport. The Clinchfield Railroad was built from Bostic, where connection is made with the Seaboard to Spartanburg, presumably with a view of carrying the road ultimately on to Charleston and temporarily to secure direct connection through other roads with the Charleston harbor. Later, the officials of the system have concluded that Southport must be reached and it is believed to be their purpose to arrange with the Seaboard to transport the freight over its present line, running from Rutherfordton to Wilmington. This will throw the volume of business directly through Charlotte, and means that still another big railroad system is to penetrate this community.

"The Clinchfield companies are being rapidly readjusted at this time. Lately the Southport Harbor Company has been organized with a capital of $2,000,000, and the Spartanburg Land Company has also been chartered. Both these concerns are backed by the Clinchfield interests, and are therefore, regarded as important in the future plans of development that are being considered now. President Mark W. Potter, of the Clinchfield system, says that the organization of these companies need not be regarded as indicating that any immediate developments are in contemplation, but that certain properties originally belonging to the Clinchfield Coal Corporation have been conveyed to these subsidiary concerns for purposes of readjustment of its interests. This statement is regarded as indicating that it is the idea of the Clinchfield officials to get to Southport in the early future and probably over the Seaboard which has connection at Wilmington with the Wilmington, Brunswick & Southern Railroad, running the distance of 30 miles from Wilmington to Southport. This railroad has recently been reorganized and it is generally surmised that in the readjustment of this system, the officials of the Clinchfield have a hand along with those of the Seaboard."

We regard it as significant that President Potter has identified the Clinchfield interests with the recent incorporation of the Southport Harbor Company, chartered to construct piers and harbor terminals. Since it appears that the harbor project is acknowledged to be a movement of the railroad people, it is quite natural to conclude that there will be something doing at Southport. Another significant thing is that the increased capitalization of the Clinchfield Corporation is partly for the purpose of increasing its coal output from 1,500,000 tons a year to 4,000,000 tons. As the output of the mines is to be increased, there is bound to be an ocean outlet for it, so all things considered we are prepared to pin a good deal of faith to the coaling station rumor.

At any rate, it ought to attract attention to the fact tha right at the mouth of the Cape Fear there is going to waste the most admirable location on the South Atlantic for coaling ships for the present great commerce of the Gulf and Atlantic, not to mention the great opportunities when the opening of the Isthmian waterway will cause a new routing for commerce that will bring most of it close to Southport.

FRUIT GROWING IN THE SOUTH.

We ought to know more about the wonderful resources and opportunities of the South than we do, but it is not too late for us to learn and keep on learning about them. It is also equally as important for us to let it be known abroad, for failure to do that is as much reflection upon our intelligence as not to be thoroughly posted ourselves upon the matchless adaptabilities of this garden spot of the world.

Our Agricultural and Mechanical Colleges have a lot of practical work they can do, not only in showing us how to farm, but in opening our eyes to the wonderful and unequalled opportunities that flaunt themselves all around us. A campaign of education is needed, and we are glad that our colleges and the railroads are now engaged in a practical work that should have been commenced 50 years ago. However, we are getting down to work, and the railroads are doing a most important part of it.

The Atlantic Coast Line is doing a splendid work through its live agricultural and immigration department, and The Star has many times commended its systematic efforts to demonstrate the fine resources of the territory penetrated by its lines. In the Nation's Garden Spot right around Wilmington, we know of our astonishing million dollar strawberry crop and the unequalled adaptabilities of eastern North Carolina for trucking and agriculture generally, but we must remember that this matter of glorious opportunities is South-wide. Therefore, if we do not want other portions of the South to lead us in availing themselves of the country's resources, we had better get a move on us and keep it up.

Through its land and commercial department the Southern Railway, whose lines penetrate central and western North Carolina, has just published an interesting booklet dealing in a practical and convincing way with Southern opportunities for growing, not only apples, peaches, strawberries, figs, and oranges, but also pears, plums, cherries, apricots, quinces, pomegranates, Japanese persimmons, blackberries, raspberries, and currants, in the ten States served by that line.

Striking facts are presented concerning what has actually been accomplished by farmers in different States. For instance, it is noted that an orchardist near Hendersonville, N. C., averages annually per acre $400 to $600 in profits from 4,000 apple trees planted in 1895. From a 20-acre orchard of Albemarle pippins a Virginia grower has realized an annual profit of $18,000. From one orchard 25 years old, in southwestern Virginia, more than 3,000 barrels of apples are gathered from less than 1,000 trees, the sales for the crop footing up $12,000 a year.

Speaking of peach growing, C. J. Hood, of Habersham county, Georgia, bought 400 acres of land for $6,000 eleven years ago. Ten years ago he cleared 100 acres and planted peach trees. Just three years after planting he got his first crop, and in six seasons the total net profit of this 100 acre orchard has been $24,000, or $4,000 a year.

While eastern North Carolina is the home of the scuppernong grape, and the yield has been annually from $200 to $700 per acre, it is interesting to note that four year old scuppernong vines in Alabama produce an average of five bushels of grapes each, worth about $2.50 to $3 per vine. From a single acre of strawberries, near Mobile, Ala., a trucker made a net profit of $600 for berries picked the last week in February. From the district around Chattanooga, Tenn., 1876 carloads of strawberries were shipped in 1910 and 1911, yielding profits of $150 to $200 an acre from land which cost from $30 to $40 per acre. Further in the southwest growers who combine figs and pecans, or figs and Satsuma oranges, have obtained profits as high as $1,000 an acre.

Thus the Southern Railway boosts its territory, and the beauty of its is that it is a true story. It reminds us to say that it reads like the wonderful achievements along pretty much the same line throughout eastern North Carolina. Of course, Wilmington is the centre of the Nation's Garden Spot, and these marvelous exhibits of Southern resources do not surprise us, but we must admit that we ought to add a lot of horsepower to our appreciation of our immediate surroundings.

FARMERS' EMERGENCIES MET.

Several counties in South Carolina and Georgia have reported the appearance of the army worm in the cotton fields, and the result has been a feeling of considerable alarm on the part of the farmers. In South Carolina, Anderson county, the largest cotton producing county east of the Mississippi river, several days ago reported the army worm and immediately the biologists of Clemson College, South Carolina's agricultural and technological college, went to the relief. Experts went to the infested region and adopted measures which it is believed will prove effective.

This shows how much further advanced this country is at present compared with a quarter of a century ago, and even less. Formerly when a crop pest appeared the farmers would view it with alarm and be helpless in the presence of an invasion of destroying insects or worms. The worst had to be endured except for farm treatment, which generally was neither at hand nor effective. Now, however, the farmers at once telephone their troubles to the Agricultural Departments and colleges, and the State responds with its corps of scientists and means for meeting such emergencies.

Thus we observe that, first, the intelligent farmers are on the alert; second, that the telephone, when properly installed and managed, is handy for quick communication; and, third, and best, the States have well equipped and efficient scientific departments and institutions which are prepared at any time to save the State more than the appropriations voted to them and which are worth a hundred-fold more in promoting modern agriculture, and scientific and vocational education. Speaking about the indispensible use of the telephone in rural communities, the Savannah News says in this connection:

"An idea of the possibilities of the telephone in the rural districts may be had from a recent experience in Tift county. As soon as it was learned that the army worm had made its appearance, which was simultaneous in opposite corners of the county, the Secretary of the Tifton Chamber of Commerce called up the manager of the local exchange and had him warn every farmer that could be reached by telephone that the worm had appeared and tell him what preventive to use. As a result it is said the situation in that county was under control within two days. Tift county has 12 Farmers' telephone lines, reaching every section of the county and connecting nearly 200 homes."

It might not be amiss to remind our farmer friends that they should not fail to promptly report any appearance of pests in their crops. The Anderson county farmers set a good example in this particular, and it affords us an opportunity to say that in that and other instances we have been struck with the preparedness and comprehensiveness displayed by Clemson College in its scientific work. North Carolina has a great institution in her College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, but we have many times been impressed with the ability and thoroughness displayed by the Clemson College corps in their agricultural and scientific work. We are not at a loss to account for the wonderful strides which the Palmetto State has made in agriculture of the modern kind.

There will be no end of chin mooseic on the Third Party band wagon.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The admirable calm with which the Hon. Ted Roosevelt bears up under an avalanche of newspaper criticism leads us to believe that his hide is as thick as that of the animal which is the emblem of his party.—New Orleans States.

That Fall River cotton manufacutrer who died the other day leaving an estate of something like $40,000,000 no doubt held, during life, with Wakeman and The Home Market Club, that our tariff duties should be so laid as to guarantee a "reasonable profit" to American industry. They do not seem to have done less in his case.—Norfolk Virginian Pilot.

It is intimated that the report of the Stanley Committee will advise that the United States Steel Corporation be dissolved, and the Department of Justice, we are told, is already proceeding against the Trust with that end in view. Let us prayerfully hope that the dissolution, if and when made, will not be of the nature of those effected in the cases of Standard Oil and the Tobacco Trust. Otherwise, the last estate of the domestic consumer of iron and steel products will be worse than the first, and his condition, the Lord knows, is bad enough as it is.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

Mrs. Bixby, wife of Gen. Bixby, chief of the army engineer corps, has engaged a "cat barber" to attend to her seven pedigreed prize winning felines, and it is becoming quite fashionable in Washington to have one's cat shaved. It is said that some of the "tabbies" are getting fancy haircuts, too, and when the barber gets through with the aristocratic entries of the Washington Cat Club, they look like a cross between a French poodle and a squirrel. We don't know what these aristocratic felines think of it, but the light that would lie in the eye of plain Tom and Maria if they were subjected to such treatment would be of the kind most adequately described by the word dangerous.—Chattanooga Times.

Insect Bite Costs Leg.

A Boston man lost his leg from the bite of an insect two years before. To avert such calamities from stings and bites of insects use Bucklen's Arnica Salve promptly to kill the poison and prevent inflammation, swelling and pain. Heals burns, boils, ulcers, piles, eczema, cuts, bruises. Only 25 cents at R. R. Bellamy.

JAPS HONOR ENEMY AT MUKDEN

Put Up Monument to Russian Dead Left on Batttle Field.

(From The Advance.)

A recent traveler through Mancauria gives us a picture and a description of the great cemetery and which some time ago they consecrated to the Russian dead who fell in the battle about Mukden.

In their precipitate retreat the armies of the Czar left thousands upon thousands of their fallen comrades unburied. After the signing of the treaty of peace the soldiers of the Mikado collected every last bone and every bit of ragged uniform and every broken weapon which the Russians had left upon the field and buried them with soldiery honors. In the centre of the vast plat they inclosed by a white marble fencing a reserved space for those who had evidently been officers.

Over the graves of the common soldiers iron crosses, in the Greek form, were erected, and over the graves of commanders crosses of white marble. Then as a pivot to the conveging lines they reared a terrace and on the terrace built a marble temple all at a cost of 50,000 yen. When the work was ready for dedicatory rites they invited Russian ecclesiastics from Peking, Harbin and Vladivostok, together with such military commanders as were near, to assemble for religious services in this chapel, where, amid the assembled men of both races, the land was solemnly consecrated as a resting place for the Russian dead.

We think we have not done badly when 50 years after the battle of Gettysburg we invite the surviving Confederates to meet us where they fought us, and with their Northern fellow-citizens give thanks today for a united country. But the "Japs" have bettered as well as anticipated our act. For within five years of the battle of Mukden they laid out the field as a cemetery for their conquered enemies, buried them decently, had religious rites celebrated by priests of their own faith and paid personal tribute to the courage and loyalty of the men they had vanquished. All this without one word of suggestion from outside.

BATTLE WITH FIGHTING RATS

Carpenters Kill 168, But Are Badly Bitten Removing Floor

(Shamokin (Pa). Correspondence.)

A number of carpenters in the employ of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company had a thrilling battle with an immense swarm of rats today while tearing away the board flooring in the stables at the Henry Clay colliery. Some of the men were badly bitten. They were removing an old floor preparatory to replacing it with cement, when they came upon the rats. Using their hatchets and hammers as weapons, the men dispatched them by wholesale, killing 168.

STATE'S OLDEST MAN

Thomas Ponton Dead at Weldon, Aged 112 Years

Weldon, N. C., July 21.—Thomas Ponton, the oldest man in Halifax county and perhaps the oldest in the State, is dead at his home near here, aged 112 years.

The family records show that he was born May 6th, 1800, and there is further proof of his remarkable age in the records of the Superior Court, when he was given his freedom at the age of 21 years by Dr. Ponton. This old man was active up to a year ago. His photograph was taken when he reached the century mark.

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How much the merchant tailor or the retail clothier will charge the consumer because of the advances that have taken place can not be stated accurately because there is every likelihood that the quotations just made will be further advanced before the season is very old.

Cloth prices are higher for the next Spring season, agents say, because of conditions over which the manufacturers have no control. They say that the most important element that brought about the advance is that the domestic wool clip this year is about 30,000,000 pounds smaller than a year ago. The price of wool has also gone up abroad, while mill owners say that the high scale of wages and the shorter working hours will also have their effect on the increased price of cloth.

From the above you will note that now is the time to take advantage of my made-to-order Special Sale. This sale will close in the next ten days, so do not miss this last opportunity of giving me your order prior to the rise in prices of 1913. My low price of $13.50 for two-piece suit from Domestic patterns and $19.00 per two-piece suit from imported patterns will prevail for only ten days longer.

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SUPERIOR COURT CONVENES

Judge Frank Carter, of Asheville, Delivered Able and Impressive Charge to the Grand Jury. Good Progress Made.

Placing the responsibility for law enforcement squarely up to the grand jury and pointing out that the courts and judges are only the mediums through which the laws are administered in accordance with the moral sentiment of the community, Judge Frank Carter, of Asheville, at the opening of the two-weeks term of Superior Court for the trial of criminal cases, yesterday morning delivered one of the ablest and most impressive charges ever heard in the New Hanover Court House.

Several members of the local bar and a number of the court attaches declared that without a doubt the charge was by far the best that has ever been delivered to a New Hanover county grand jury, and all agreed that it was a most masterly one. Judge Carter discussed local conditions as they are reputed to be, and in analyzing the situation, placed a measure of the blame upon the so-called "best citizen" class, referring to the men who have reached positions influential enough to enable them to dodge jury service. He declared that this was one of the great faults of the jury system and he did not spare the man who will use his position in life to escape jury duty, declaring that morally such a man is aiding and abetting in the breaking of the laws. Judge Carter ordered that the jury list of the county be printed in the newspapers, so that the public may know who is dodging duty.

Court convened at 10 o'clock and the following were sworn in as members of the grand jury: Ed Taylor, chairman; Henderson Cole, W. L. Grissom, Chas. Rogers, Frank Andrews, Geo. S. Nevens, J. S. Parker, F. J. Dempsey, J. D. Bender, J. G. Johnson, F. S. Miller, J. D. Brantley, W. J Mallard, Lee Greer, C. S. Lewis, L. S. Southerland, J. A. Tew and C. R. Spooner. Mr. W. R. Smith was sworn in as officer in charge of the grand jury.

In opening his charge Judge Carter declared that the duties of a grand jury are two-fold, in that they relate to the enforcement of the criminal law and to the consideration of that class of indictments which they will be called upon by the solicitor to pass upon and to present bills where their information justifies. In addition, he said, they would be called upon to examine and report to the court upon the various offices and institutions of the county, and he stressed that fact that this duty was an important one, as it is the only means the law provides by which the people may know that the affairs of the several institutions are being conducted wisely and properly. He declared that the examinations should not be perfunctory, but should look fully and freely into all the institutions and offices. The jail and convict camp, he said, should be given special attention, for the law does not sanction or tolerate any oppression or inhuman treatment of prisoners awaiting trial or already serving sentences.

Reverting to the enforcement of the criminal law, Judge Carter said that it was not his purpose to go into a technical disecussion of the law itself, for in this day of public education almost every man has enough knowledge of law to fit him for jury duty. A high conception of the duties in connection with the office, he said, was of more importance.

The judge asserted that the weakness of our law as it is administered is in respect to those laws which are enacted for the protection of men's persons. These laws are not enforced as readily or as thoroughly as those pertaining to the rights of personal property. The safety of men's persons is a higher right than a mere property right, but as the law is administered this fact is often overlooked.

Judge Carter declared that we have too many homicides and too many deadly assaults. He said that he had obtained a list of the indictments for homicides in this county for the past five years and that the number was 40. This, he declared, was more than half as many as had been returned in the whole city of London in the past five years and also more than half as many as have been made in the entire Dominion of Canada in the same length of time.

Such a record, said the judge, bespeaks a corresponding number of deadly assaults, and we are obliged to admit that from the point of securing the safety of men's persons our laws have failed and are failing. The judge stated that he had no cocksure opinions as to all the causes that have brought this about, but that he had a well-developed idea that the practice of carrying concealed weapons is one cause, and a great one.

The judge went on to point out that this practice was a most demoralizing one. When a man gets to carrying a concealed weapon constantly he is naturally and progressively fitted to take human life, for a coward armed is more deadly than a wild beast. Judge Carter declared that a brave man cannot carry a concealed weapon and remain a brave man, for by the working of natural laws he gradually loses his manhood as his mind dwells on his secret advantage over his fellow man.

Partly to the fact that we have too many laws, Judge Carter attributed the widespread want of respect for the law. He said that our laws are so many and so easily passed that the average man feels that they do not amount to much. Furthermore, because of so many useless and trivial laws, a man can hardly live without violating some of them, and when he breaks one and is not punished he gradually loses his respect for all laws.

Judge Carter then took up the question of the prohibition law, declaring that he had been told that the majority of the people here were against it as a political measure. If this condition existed, said the judge, it made it only that much more hard to enforce the law.

"If one half of what I hear is true," declared Judge Carter, "the enforcement of the prohibition law in your community is little more than a farce." He declared that he did not know for sure whether the conditions are as bad as they are said to be, or not, but that he had recently traveled from this city to Jacksonville, N. C., on a train on which a number of Sunday excursionists were returning to their homes, and that from what he had seen then he was led to believe that there must be a very good foundation for the reports.

He said that he had been told that the majority of citizens strongly objected to the law, but this, he declared, was no reason why such flagrant violations of the law should be condemned, for by tolerating the violations of the prohibition law the whole statutory structure of laws is weakened and rendered incapable of performing the functions intended. In addition, said Judge Carter, the violation of this law is a great demoralizing influence, for the man who sells whiskey when it is prohibited by law can be nothing more than a sneak and a criminal and those who buy from him are only slightly better, for they are morally aiding and abetting in a crime. If conditions are as bad as they are reputed to be the community is demoralized and the law becomes a laughing stock.

Another demoralizing feature, declared the judge, in connection with the so-called "blind tigers" are that they draw to the city a lawless class of persons such as gamblers, card sharps and others who profit by illicit or illegal ventures who are no more than parasites on humanity and who further demoralize the community. "Where the carcass is the buzzards will gather," said Judge Carter.

He declared that to permit such conditions to go on and to do nothing to check the open and flagrant violations of the laws will inevitably render the city a place unfit for the residence of decent persons; a place that a man will not feel it safe to bring his son or daughter up in.

The people should consider these questions, for the Court House is not a place to consider legislation or where laws are wisely or unwisely made. The courts, said the judge, are unable to enforce the laws wisely or well unless the body of the people are lending them their moral support, for the officers and the courts are powerless to give other than just such law enforcement as public sentiment demands.

In closing Judge Carter spoke of the high and noble duties of the jurors. He declared that he believed that it was the most Godlike duty a man is called upon to fulfill, and a duty, he added, that some of our "best citizens" are prone to shirk. He declared that courts generally have been too lenient in considering excuses for not serving on juries, and he stated that while he was here he was going to have the jury list of the county printed in the newspapers and posted in the different precincts, so that the public may have an opportunity to see just what citizens consider themselves among the "best" class. He declared that he believed this to be the first step in any reform for better law enforcement, for bringing about a lower rate of homicide.

The grand jury then retired and the trial of cases was taken up. Excellent progress was made and when court adjourned at 5:30 a large number of cases had been disposed of.

Judge Carter commented rather caustically on an action of the Recorder in a case against William Tew, colored, charged with an assault with a deadly weapon and an assault on a female. The negro had been found guilty on both counts in the Recorder's court and sentenced to two months on the county roads in each case. He took an appeal to the Superior Court and bond was fixed at $35. Yesterday when the case was called he did not answer. Judge Carter ordered an instanter capias issued and also ordered that if apprehended a cash bond of $100 be required. He declared that he could not see by what process of reasoning the Recorder could sentence a man to four months on the county roads and then when the defendant took an appeal to fix his appearance bond at only $35. He ordered the solicitor to confer with the Recorder and instruct him that if a case was so trivial as to require only a $35 bond he had best dispose of it in his own court and not take up the time of the Superior Court with it.

Only one sentence of any consequence was imposed at yesterday's session. James Billips, colored, was found guilty on a charge of larceny of $16 from the person and was sentenced to 12 months on the county roads.

In the case of W. S. Ames, a young man charged with the larceny of a sum of about $75 in cash and several mileage books from the safe of the American Agricultural Chemical Company, the defendant entered a plea of guilty and judgment was suspended on payment of the costs on condition that he make restitution of the amount taken.

Fannie Hefner, the white woman charged with the murder of a white man named Jordan, was brought into court and formally arraigned on the charge. She entered a plea of not guilty. In the case against Philister King, colored, charged with the killing of Abraham Foard, colored, whom he is alleged to have hit over the head with a board and who died about a week later, the solicitor stated that he would not ask for a verdict of murder in the first degree, but for second degree or manslaughter.

The following jury was empanneled and sat in the case of Carrie Meares, colored, charged with an assault with a deadly weapon: L. Brogden, C. H. Casteen, Ira A. Hines, J. T. Jarrott, D. K. LeGwin, H. O. Thomas, R. L. Croom, T. A. Croom, G. R. Clements, H. S. Schwartz, E. J. W. Anders, W. D. Henry. The jury was out only a short while and returned a verdict of not guilty.

William Hall, colored, was found guilty on a charge of reckless driving, and judgment was suspended on payment of the costs and upon the payment of $15 to Miss Esther Williams and $10 to Miss Annie Lucas. The two young women were knocked down and injured by the buggy which the negro was driving. He claimed that the horse got out from under his control.

Other cases yesterday were as follows: Walter Thomas, colored, nuisance, nol pros; W. G. Baldwin, white, retailing, nol pros with leave; Fred Brown, colored, murder, alias capias; Jim Wilson, colored, murder, alias capias; J. J. Shepherd, M. J. Griffin, K. Cummings, all white, retailing, nol pros with leave; W. H. Millan, white, retailing, instanter capias; G. C. Hand, white, assault with a deadly weapon, called and failed, bond forfeited; Mamie L. Little, white, bigamy, alias capias; G. W. Britt, white, nuisance, instanter capias; Lisbon Noble, colored, embezzlement, submitted to forcible trespass and judgment suspended on payment of the costs; Roy Street, white, forgery, waived bill and plead guilty to an attempt, judgment suspended on payment of the costs; Artaur Davis, colored, larceny, called and failed, capias; James Mack, colored, assault and battery, called and failed, capias; Geo. Wilson, colored, larceny, submission, judgment suspended on payment of the costs; Carl Nelms, white, forcible trespass, submission to an attempt, judgment suspended on payment of the costs.

The minor jail cases have not yet been disposed of and it is likely that they will occupy the attention of the court for the greater part of today. The so-called "Fish Trust Case", in which six of the local fish dealers are charged with being in a combination in restraint of trade, will be taken up this afternoon at 2:30 by an agreement made yesterday. Other than this no arrangements have been made and no time set for taking up any of the other important cases on the docket. However, with the admirable smoothness with which the court machinery is operating and the business-like manner in which Judge Carter keeps things moving, it is likely that the minor cases will soon be completed, and the big cases taken up within the next few days.

MRS. EMMA HALL DEAD

Beloved Wife of Mr. W. D. Hall Passed Away Yesterday

Many friends in this city and elsewhere in this section learned with sorrow yesterday morning of the death of Mrs. Emma Davis Hall, the beloved wife of Mr. W. D. Hall, which occurred at 7 A. M., at the family residence on Greenville Sound, following an illness of some time. Mrs. Hall suffered a stroke of paralysis a few days ago and ever since had been declining rapidly, so her passing was not altogether unexpected to her loved ones and friends, but the realization that the sweet, Christian spirit was no more brought poignant grief to many hearts and caused the heartfelt sympathy of many to go out to those so sorely bereaved.

The body was brought to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Philyaw, at Carolina Place, yesterday, and the funeral will be held from the residence at 11 o'clock this morning, conducted by Rev. Dr. John M. Wells, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, of which the deceased was a member for a number of years. Mrs. Hall was a most estimable woman, a Christian in the truest sense of the word, and was held in tender affection by all who knew her. Those who knew her best loved her most. Hers was a beautiful life and her passing leaves an aching void in the home and in the community.

She was a daughter of the late Mr. Samuel and Mrs. Rachel H. Davis, and is survived by her husband, two sisters, Mrs. A. P. Rose, of Covington, Ky., and Mrs. Eugene Philyaw, of Wilmington, and three brothers, Messrs. W. T. Davis, of Bostick, S. C.; Mr. S. J. Davis, of Wilmington, and Mr. Geo. H. Davis, of Washington, D. C. The heartfelt sympathy of hundreds of friends goes out to the bereaved in this sad hour.

Following the services at the residence this morning the body will be tenderly borne to Oakdale cemetery, where the interment will be made.

"WHEW! IT WAS HOT!"

Yesterday One of Most Uncomfortable of Year in Wilmington.

"Whew! Ain't it hot!"

These and kindred expressions with some others, hardly tolerated in polite society were not infrequent yesterday. It was one of the most uncomfortably sultry days of the year and the temperature sent many hurrying to the beach as soon as the day's business was half way over. Those not so fortunately situated and who had to remain in the city, suffered under one of the most sultry days of the year. With perspiring brow, Observer Felger, of the Weather Bureau, entered the office last night.

"Hottest of the year, wasn't it?" he was asked.

"No, not the hottest according to temperature," he replied: "It went to 96 degrees one day in June, while it was only 94 degrees maximum today, but the humidity was extremely high," he said.

The compilation of data for the 24 hours at Wilmington, ended at 8 o'clock last night, showed a maximum of 94 degrees, but the mean was 85 degrees. The minimum was 76, while at 8 o'clock yesterday morning the reading was 78 and at 8 o'clock last night it was 88 degrees. Taken all told, the day was undoubtedly the most unpleasant of the year and then some. One rather corpulent individual most solemnly avers that he saw one private thermometer on an exposed wall at Front and Princess streets yesterday afternoon that registered just 113.

Rather cooler weather with showers is promised for today.

WILMINGTON'S NEW DEPOT

Most Complimentary Reference by Charlotte Paper to This City

Yesterday's Charlotte Observer has the following to say editorially:

"The Atlantic Coast Line, through thick and thin, has been the best friend the city of Wilmington has ever known. Its investments in that city for years past have been on a large scale, and these investments have not been forced, but were in recognition on part of the railroad company of the advantages of the port of Wilmington to its business. As the volume of business which Wilmington has given it has increased, its investments there have been enlarged to keep pace. The Coast Line has now turned its attention to the matter of providing passenger facilities of an adequate nature for Wilmington and has let the contract for a union depot to cost $300,000. The Star, of Sunday morning, prints a cut of the new depot, which will be six stories above ground, and which will be withal an imposing piece of architecture. This new depot will set Wilmington far ahead of many of the larger cities of the South. It will leave Charlotte hopelessly behind in the depot line, but the sentiment of this city is congratulatory, rather than envious. The building of a structure of this sort is a tremendous stroke of enterprise for Wilmington. Not until its completion and occupancy will the people of that city come to a realizing sense of what it really means to their town."

CAPE FEAR CLUB TO BUILD

Handsome Property on Front and Chesnut Sold and Southeast Corner of Second and Chesnut Purchased—Plans.

Accepting a proposition submitted by John D. Bellamy, Jr., for clients who are as yet unknown to the public, members of the Cape Fear Club in special meeting duly and legally called by 10 days' notice, last night, voted to dispose of the handsome club property at the northwest corner of Front and Chesnut streets in exchange for the Bettencourt property, at the southwest corner of Second and Chesnut streets, and $70,000 in cash. The club will erect a handsome new building on the newly acquired property, plans for which have already been sketched by Mr. Joseph F. Leitner, the architect, and were on exhibition at the meeting last night.

This action comes as a culmination of the various propositions that have recently been submitted for the purchase of the club property, which is considered one of the most valuable pieces of realty in the city. Some weeks ago the club was offered $105,000 in cash for the property, but declined the offer, which was made through Wilder & Metts. The firm of Wilder & Metts had a letter before the meeting last night to the effect that they would like their bid to be given consideration again in the event the club decided to sell. There was also a proposition from J. G. Wright & Son to pay $82,000 in cash and exchange the northwest corner of Third and Market streets for the club property.

The question had been referred to the governing board and a special committee. After thoroughly considering the several propositions the committee decided to accept the offer made by Mr. Bellamy and so recommended to the meeting last night. There were only two votes cast against the recommendation of the committee.

The property on which is located the Cape Fear Club building has a frontage on Front street of 113 feet and on Chesnut of 115 feet. It is most desirably located for any kind of building. Mr. Bellamy did not say for whom he was acting or for what purpose the property will be used. An effort to get in telephonic communication with him at his Summer home on Bradley's Creek last night proved futile, but it was understood that he has nothing as yet to give out as to the identity or plans of his clients.

The Bettencourt property, which the club secures by the exchange, belongs to the heirs of Mrs. Sophia Smith, and is also a fine piece of realty. It has 87 feet front on Second street, directly across from the postoffice property, and is 130 or 140 feet deep. The building which will be erected on the property will be about the handsomest of any club building in the South. Work on the structure will be commenced in the near future. The club is to remain in its present home for nine months while the new building is being erected.

The sketches of plans made by Architect Leitner at the request of members of the committees are said to provide for a building to cost about $50,000. It will be of pressed brick, terra cotta trimmings, and hardwood floors, with separate entrances for visitors and club members. Of classic design, the building will be equipped with all modern conveniences of an up-to-date club house, including a large ball room, reception rooms, cafe, etc., and will be steam heated. The building will be two stories in height with possibly a roof garden. Those who have seen the rough sketches say they are satisfied that the club house will be the handsomest of any in the South.

The meeting last night was presided over by Mr. John H. Brown, the president, and Mr. W. A. Dick, the secretary, kept a record of the proceedings.

SINGING CLASS COMING.

Children From Odd Fellows' Home at Goldsboro to Appear Here.

Announcement is made by the local Odd Fellows that the singing class of the Odd Fellows' Orphans' Home at Goldsboro, now on its Eastern tour, will visit this city Wednesday, July 31st, and that a concert will be given in the Academy of Music at that time. The class this season is under the management of Mr. Ben R. Avent, and is composed of 14 children. Miss Lillian McDonald is teacher.

A meeting of a committee composed of three members from each of the local Odd Fellows' lodges was held last night in the Odd Fellows' parlors. Mr. J. E. Littleton, of Wilmington Lodge, No. 139, was elected chairman of the committee, and Mr. Jno. E. Wood, of Hanover Lodge, No. 145, secretary. The committee selected the Academy of Music as the place for holding the concert.

The class will arrive here from Whiteville on the day of the concert. After their appearance here they will go to Southport for a concert August 1st, and on the return from there they will make a tour up the Wilmington & Weldon road. The appearance of the singing class here will be looked forward to with much pleasure by many people who will welcome the opportunity to hear the children sing.

BITTEN BY SHOWMAN.

Proprietor of Adams Carnival Company Injured at Fayetteville.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fayetteville, N. C., July 22.—Proprietor Adams, of the Adams Show Company, which arrived here yesterday over the Raleigh & Southern and will be one of the attractions here for the Firemen's Tournament, was severely injured last night in a fight with one of his helpers on the carnival grounds on the vacant graded school lot on Hay street. More than half of the lower lip of Adams was bitten away by the helper and the piece was lost so that it could not be sewed back. The injured man is at the Highsmith Hospital where he is doing very well, but will be maimed for life, it is said.

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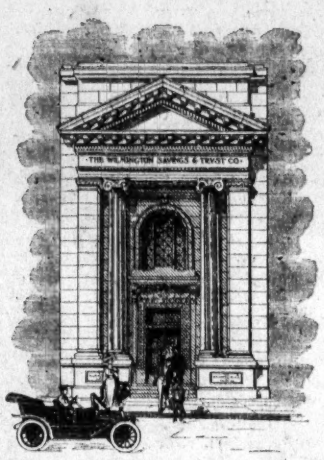

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BIG REALTY DEAL RUMORED

Currently Reported That Swift & Co., Has Purchased Site and Building Occupied by the Local Branch on Nutt Street

According to rumors that have been in circulation for the past week, and which seem to have a very good foundation, the Fidelity Investment & Development Company has closed another big real estate deal in selling to Swift & Company, Ltd., the lot and store now occupied by the company's local branch on 307 Nutt street, for a consideration understood to have been between $18,000 and $19,000. While the rumor has not yet been officially confirmed, there seems little doubt but that the announcement will be made in a few days.

The building and property occupied by Swift & Company faces on Nutt street, 66 feet north of Grace, running thence north 54 feet on Nutt and having a depth of 120 feet. It is a part of the Worth property, which was purchased by the Fidelity Investment & Development Company several weeks ago for about $150,000.

It is understood that Swift & Company will in the near future tear down the building which they occupy at present and erect a handsome and modern structure, to cost not less than $25,000 and possibly more. The property is ideally located for such a business, having excellent transportation facilities at hand, as well as being located in the wholesale district of the city. Property here has advanced steadily for years and it is now extremely valuable. The new building to be erected by Swift & Company will add much to the appearance of the block, and it is believed that it is only one of several new buildings which will go up in that section in the immediate future.

Death of Little Child.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Covington, Jr., of Rockingham, N. C., will have the sympathy of many friends here as well as at their home in the death of their infant child, two years old, which occurred yesterday morning at 11 o'clock at Wrightsville Beach, where the family had been spending some time. The remains were brought to the city and taken to Rockingham, accompanied by the grief-stricken parents, on the 3:25 train. The funeral will be held there today.

Cafe Was Searched.

Following up the police raids on two so-called social clubs Sunday morning, Plainclothes Officers B. W. Jacobs and Frank and Leon George searched the Princess Cafe, Mr. J. R. Kennedy, proprietor, about 3 o'clock the same morning. It is said that the officers found a quantity of beer, both domestic and imported, amounting in all to several barrels. They made a list of their fidings and departed. No arrests were made.

Freckled Girls

It is an absolute fact, that one 50 cent jar of WILSON'S FRECKLE CREAM will either remove your freckles or cause them to fade and that two jars will even in the most severe cases completely cure them. We are willing to personally guarantee this and to return your money without argument if your complexion is not fully restored to its natural beauty. WILSON'S FRECKLE CREAM is fine, fragrant and absolutely harmless. Will not make hair grow but will positively remove TAN, PIMPLES and FRECKLES. Come in today and try it. The jars are large and results absolutely certain. Sent by mail if desired. Price 50c. Mammoth jars $1.00. WILSON'S FAIR SKIN SOAP 25c. For sale by

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Mr. Carl P. Cline, of Monroe, N. C., is visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. A. Smith, 914 North Fourth street.

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Miss Augusta Boykin has returned home after a week's visit to Miss Jessie Pepper, at Southport.

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Miss Mary Burkheimer, formerly of Wilmington, but now of Greensboro, is the guest of Mrs. W. C. Smith, No. 110 Walnut street.

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Sunday's Raleigh News and Observer: "Mrs. J. L. Egan, of Wilmington, passed through Raleigh yesterday, en route to Wake Forest to visit."

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Miss Eugenia Murray, of Kenansville, is the attractive guest of Miss Mary A. Thompson at the home of her uncle, Dr. A. D. McDonald.

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Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer: "Miss Blanche Underwood of Wilmington is visiting Miss Elizabeth Ledbetter on Person street."

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Mrs. Wm. E. Lawson left yesterday afternoon for Columbia, Newberry and other points in South Carolina, where she will spend the remainder of the Summer.

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Mrs. J. M. Meschaw and son, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Grimsley, No. 1010 North Fourth street, returned yesterday afternoon to their homes.

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Mrs. W. N. Royal and daughter, Miss Lesa Royall, have gone to Hendersonville and other points in the western part of the State, where they will spend some time.

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Fleet W. Dunlap, Esq., and Mrs. Dunlap, of Wadesboro, and their guest Miss Faybelle Lea, of Danville, Va., who have been spending some time at Wrightsville Beach, returned yesterday to Wadesboro.

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Misses Jennie and Fannie Shaw, the atractive daughters of Solicitor Henry E. Shaw, of this judicial district, are the guests of Miss Eugenia Harriss on South Third street.

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Mrs. Charles F. Henry, of Baltimore, formerly Miss Bessie Oldham, of this city, and Mrs. Nat Vincent and Miss Mary Vincent, of Charlotte, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Y. Davis at Carolina Heights.

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Friends in this city will be interested to know that Mrs. J. F. Maunder and daughter, Miss Mildred Maunder, formerly of this city, are spending some time in the western part of the State. Miss Maunder expects to leave soon to join her sister, Mrs. W. K. Kenney, in Fort Worth and Houston, Texas.

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Furnishing an opportune relief from the heated spell of the last few days, the river excursion to be run this evening under the auspices of the Daughters of Rebekah promises to be largely patronized. The steamer Wilmington will take the party out for a ride first down the river and then up for a few miles, returning about 11 o'clock. Music will be furnished on board the boat by the Delgado Band and everyone is cordially invited to go. The proceeds of the trip will be devoted to the Odd Fellows' Home, at Goldsboro. The boat leaves Princess street dock at 8 o'clock and the fare is only 25 cents.

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Council, N. C., July 22.—Complimentary to Miss Lida Sawyer, of Belhaven, Miss Florence Hawkins, of Wilmington, Misses Maggie and Lottie Bennett, of Fayetteville, and Miss Mildred Vick, of Godwin, a delightful porch party was given last Wednesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Sawyer. About 15 couples composed the party and the evening was indulged in music and games of different kinds. Some of the enjoyable features was a "Contest of Counties," which was won by Mr. L. E. Sawyer and Miss Maybell Dowles, and an advertisement contest in which Dr. A. Byron Holmes and Miss Florence Hawkins won the first honors. Another social feature of the past week was a card party given Monday night complimentary to the visiting young ladies by Miss Laura Edwards. Many other social events have been tendered these popular young ladies during their stay here.

Many Names Suggested

Mr. Thos. H. Wright, of the J. G. Wright & Son real estate agency, said last night that he was more convinced than ever that advertising in The Star produces results. Sunday morning he advertised a proposition to give $5 in gold to the person suggesting in writing an appropriate name for that section of the city lying east of 11 street and between Market and Rankin streets, which is being developed by his firm. Yesterday 43 persons answered the advertisement by suggesting what they considered suitable names. The contest does not close until 12 o'clock Saturday, so a great many more suggestions are expected to be received.

Boys Are in Camp.

In charge of Rev. J. A. Sullivan, the pastor, the Junior Baracas of the Brooklyn Baptist church are enjoying this week in camp at Masonboro Sound. They are roughing it in true camping style, cooking their own "chuck", playing games, fishing, bathing, etc. Mr. Sullivan is conducting a series of meetings at the Masonboro Baptist church while the camp lasts.

What Makes a Woman?

One hundred and twenty pounds, more or less, of bone and muscle don't make a woman. It's a good foundation. Put into it health and strength and she may rule a kingdom. But that's just what Electric Bitters gives her. Thousands bless them for overcoming fainting and dizzy spells and for dispelling weakness, nervousness, backache and tired, listless, worn out feeling. "Electric Bitters have done me a world of good," writes Eliza Pool, Depew, Okla., "and I thank you, with all my heart, for making such a good medicine." Only 50c. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. Morgan B. Speir, of Charlotte, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. Andrew J. Flanner, of New York city, is in the city to visit friends for a few days.

—State Senator Rivers D. Johnson, of Duplin, spent Sunday at the beach, returning to his home at Warsaw yesterday morning.

—Mr. C. H. Holsonback, formerly of this city but now of Spartanburg, S. C., where he is in the postal service, is spending a few days quite pleasantly with friends in this city.

—Arrivals at the Colonial Hotel yesterday included W. H. Stimson, New York; J. A. Robertson, Hamlet; W. B. Penick, Lynchburg, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Courtney, L. V. Reid, Norfolk Va.

—Among the arrivals at The Southern Hotel yesterday were Mrs. E. G. Mercer, Bolivia; R. D. Rodgers, Marion, S. C.; Oliver Britt, Lumberton; C. B. Roderick, Chadbourn; Robt Lamb, Fayetteville; Miss Bell Britt, Atlanta.

—Messrs. J. F. Leitner and W. O. Morris returned yesterday morning from Asheville, where they attended the annual convention of the Association of Architects of the Carolinas, Georgia and Virginia. Mr. Leitner is a member of the association and Mr. Morris is manufacturers' agent in this city for building materials of all kinds.

MR. A. E. VAN AMRINGE DEAD.

Remains Brought Here Last Evening Funeral This Morning.

The remains of Mr. Alvord E. VanAmringe, formerly of this city, but who has been making his home in New York for a number of years, and whose death occurred in that city Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, were brought here last evening and were taken to the funeral parlors of Mr. J. F. Woolvin's undertaking establishment, where they will remain until 10 o'clock this morning. They will then be borne to the lodge of Oakdale cemetery, where the funeral will be held. Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will conduct the services.

Mr. Van Amringe was an uncle of Mr. Cyrus VanAmringe and Mr. Jas. H. Chadbourn, of this city, both of whom will have the sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

THEY ARE ROOSEVELTIANT

Third Termers in Virginia Will Send Two Delegations

Richmond, Va., July 22.—A contest in Virginia delegation to the Roosevelt convention is indicated.

Two conventions are forming. State Chairman Moore, of the "Lily White" faction, has called one in Roanoke on July 30th. The negro members say they were ignored. J. M. Newcomb, of Petersburg, their State chairman, today called a convention in Richmond, July 30th. Both conventions are expected to send delegations to Chicago.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The tug Luckenback steamed yesterday with the barge Old Dominion, laden with cross-ties for New York; vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

—The Clyde Liner Navahoe, due here yesterday morning, was delayed in leaving New York this week and will not reach here before early today.

—Messrs. W. B. Cooper, E. T. Taylor and William Gilchrist have returned from Atlantic City, where they attended a meeting of fertilizer manufacturers.

—The United States Revenue Cutter Seminole, Capt. John G. Berry, will steam this morning for Beaufort where it is undestood she will take out for a sail members of the North Carolina Press Association which will be in session at Morehead City this week.

—The Star is in receipt of a copy of the Bristol (Va.) Herald-Courier, with the compliments of Officer C. E. Wood, of Wilmington, containing an account of the wreck on the Southern Railway there last week, reports of which gave rise to the report that the Wilmington excursion had been wrecked. Officer Wood was a passenger on the train and gives a graphic account of his experience.

FIREWORKS DISPLAY TONIGHT

Takes Place In Front of Lumina—Large Crowd Is Expected

Much interest is being manifested in the fireworks display that is scheduled to take place in front of Lumina at 9 o'clock tonight. Preparations are being made for an unusually large crowd and as displays of this nature appeal to most every class it is likely that the trolley company will need all of its equipment to take care of the crowds.

The exhibition will take place on the beach directly in front of Lumina. As it will be low tide when the exhibition begins excellent opportunity will be afforded for viewing this display from the verandas at Lumina. Mr. E. C. Hudson, superintendent of the gas department, will have charge of the exhibition.

EMPEROR'S CONDITION

Japan's Ruler Somewhat Improved—However, Somewhat Sleepless

Tokio, Japan, June 22.—The official bulletin issued this morning on the condition of the Emperor reads:

"5 A. M. Improved conditions generally sustained. Temperature at 3:30 A. M., 102.4. His Majesty somewhat sleepless"

DIED.

HALL—At her residence on Greenville Sound, Monday morning, July 22nd, at 7 o'clock, MRS. EMMA DAVIS HALL, beloved wife of Mr. W. D. Hall.

Funeral this (Tuesday) morning at 11 o'clock from the residence of Mr. Eugene Philyaw, No. 1802, Carolina Place. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.

..Theatrical..

With its all-star bill, headed by a film in which the noted actor, G. M. Anderson, portrayed the leading role, and with its solid comfort ways, the Bijou was the scene of great enjoyment yesterday on the part of immense crowds. The folks of Wilmington found both entertainment and a retreat from the hot weather by going to the Bijou. The latter was especially delightful, as the Bijou was found as cool as an icicle, while the fresh air, changed every few minutes in the entire theatre by means of the perfect ventilation system, was particularly appreciated, and made the spot a healthful, as well as a delightfully comfortable one.

Another noted moving picture artist is to appear today. It will be the favorite actress of devotees of the "movies," Miss Alice Joyce. This charming actress is one of the cleverest of all, and today she will be seen in the leading role of Kalem's great success, "The Suffragette Sheriff." It is a film chock full of fun, being a satire on Western politics. Among the other notable photoplays for today is Lubin's latest and best, "Together." It is a dear, sweet film, telling how husband and wife become separated and are reunited again by their child. It carries a wholesome lesson with it.

At The Grand Theatre

Yesterday was one of the most uncomfortably warm days of the Summer, but the heat had no ill conveniences for patrons of the Grand Theatre. While they looked at the pictures and listened to the music the house was swept by "ocean breezes" and everything was delightfully cool and pleasant.

Today the film-makers have favored the Grand with an unusually strong bill of the "moveys" and everybody is invited to see the show at one of the performances, afternoon or night, the price of admission being only five cents at either. "The Girl and the Cowboy" is a real drama of the real West and is by the Selig people. It is written by Emmet Mix and produced by Fred Huntly. The scene is a typical cow section of Colorado and a dare-devel cowboy and a pretty girl are the leading characters in an altogether charming story.

While the Selig film is a strong one, there is still another big feature and this will be a Biograph, "An Indian Summer," wherein is told how a hair tonic advertisement nearly upset a romance. The lonely old widower finds a nice comfortable boarding house with a sprightly widow and a charming young daughter. The three get into all sorts of ludicrous complications until a most unique trick of fate smoothes out the ruffles.

Malaria Makes Pale Sickly Children.
The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out malaria and builds up the system. For grown people and children. 50c.

SUMMER SKIN DISEASES

During the summer most persons are annoyed with pimples, boils, rashes, or eruptions, while others suffer more severely with Eczema, Acne, Tetter, Salt Rheum, or some kindred skin disease. A perfect condition of the skin exists as long as the blood is normal, but when it becomes contaminated with humors and acids its supply of nutritive properties is greatly lessened and it becomes a sharp, acrid fluid which diseases instead of preserving the natural health and texture of the skin. The eruptions may be glossed over and inflammation reduced by the application of washes, cosmetics, salves, etc., but no skin affection can ever be permanently cured in this way; only pure blood can make healthy skin. S. S. S. cures Skin Diseases of every kind by neutralizing the acids and removing the humors from the blood. S. S. S. builds the circulation up to its normal strength, increases its nutritive powers and adds to its purity in every way. Then the skin instead of being irritated with acid humors and impurities, is nourished and healed by a plentiful supply of rich, pure blood. Book on Skin Diseases and any medical advice free.

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RED MEN'S EXCURSION.

Annual Outing of Eyota Tribe to Carolina Beach.

Many are looking forward with much pleasure to the annual excursion of Eyota Tribe, Red Men, to Carolina Beach tomorrow, and it is expected that the outing will draw to the resort one of the largest crowds of the season. The steamer Wilmington will make three trips — at 9 A. M., 2:30 and 7:30 P. M., the last boat returning to the city about 11 P. M.

One feature that is unique and sure to be very pleasing is the Indian Wedding, when Red Fox and Little Moon will pnght their troth. Running Deer, the bride's father, will give her away. White Horse, the prophet will perform the ceremony, and White Dove will be maid of honor. Among the prominent braves who will be in attendance will be Big Thunder, Black Bear, Grey Wolf, Tall Pine, Leaping Brook, Yellow Snake, and others.

In opening the ceremony the prophet addresses Red Fox as follows: "Will you take Little Moon for your squaw? Will you search the forest for the swift running deer, the rivers and creeks for the scaly fish; ride over prairie after the fleet-footed buffalo, and when this tribe goes into battle with the enemy will you lay down your life in her protection?"

Music and dancing will also occupy the time of those who go down on the excursion, as well as a barbecue dinner, several contests, etc. A prize of $2.50 in gold is offered in the rifle contest and another of $2.50 gold in the running race. A belt buckle engraved with the North Carolina seal is offered for the most graceful lady dancer. The braves will be decked in their new costumes, with all paint and feather accessories, and will truly look the part of Indians.

THE RECORDER'S COURT.

"Old Reliable" Once More—Gambling Cases Were Continued.

Henderson Hayes, colored, the "Ole Reliable," of the Recorder's Court, who has a record of serving numerous terms on the county roads for drunkenness, and Cornelia Everett, colored, whose fame as a consumer of the cheering liquid almost equals Henderson's, were the star defendants at yesterday's session, each of them being up on the usual charge. By way of variety Henderson was sentenced this time to 30 days in jail, instead of on the county roads. Cornelia was given her usual 30 days on the county farm.

Walter Guion and Alex Holmes, colored, charged with gambling, were fined $5 and costs each. The negroes had indulged in a quiet little crap game, which was rudely interrupted by the police.

Archie Grant, colored, was convicted of assaulting Charlie Costin, colored with a block of wood, same being a deadly weapon, and was fined $15 and costs. Hillery Jones and Charles Costin, colored, were fined $10 and costs each for disorderly conduct and W. C. Biggs, white, contributed $5 and costs for a similar offense. Five drunks were fined $5 and costs each. E. M. Page, white, was found not guilty on a charge of violating the hitching ordinance.

The cases against the nine white men and one negro who were arrested by the police on their raids Sunday morning on two alleged gambling houses, were continued by consent until Saturday. Woodus Kellum, Esq., represents those arrested in the Cosmopolitan Club on Princess street while W. P. Gafford, Esq., appears for the ones arrested on Second street.

Mail Carriers Will Fly.
This is an age of great discoveries. Progress rides on the air. Soon we may see Uncle Sam's mail carriers flying in all directions, transporting mail. People take a wonderful interest in a discovery that benefits them. That's why Dr. King's New Discovery for coughs, colds and other throat and lung diseases is the most popular medicine in America. "It cured me of a dreadful cough," writes Mrs. J. F. Davis, Stickney Corner, Me., "after doctor's treatment and all other remedies had failed." For coughs, colds or any bronchial affection it's unequaled. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free at R. R. Bellamy.

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ARGO is the popular package at the popular price. Should your grocer happen not to have ARGO starch, 'phone us, and we will tell you one who has.

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Financial and Commercial

COTTON MARKET IRREGULAR

Opening Barely Steady at Decline of Six to Thirteen Points—Later Improvement and Prices About as Saturday.

New York, July 22.—The cotton market was comparatively quiet during today's trading and ruled irregular with the close barely steady, at a decline of 5 to 11 points.

The opening was barely steady, at a decline of 6 to 13 points under scattering liquidation and local selling, promoted by lower cables and reports of better weather in the Eastern belt and during the first few minutes active months ruled about 11 to 13 points under the close figures of Saturday. A very good demand developed on a scale down, however, part of which was attributed to hedging against forward sales to mills and with the weather map failing to show the rains that are supposed to be had in the Southwest, the market soon became steadier. Buying here against sales in Liverpool and New Orleans helped the rally in connection with reports that considerable cotton was to be shipped to Liverpool out of the local stock, and during the afternoon prices worked up to practically the closing figures of Saturday. Around this level offerings which had been very light during the middle of the day became heavier and prices eased off rather sharply at a reaction of 5 or 6 points from the best.

Receipts, 3,251, against 1,726 last week and 372 last year. Today's receipts at Galveston, 677, against 680 bales last year, at New Orleans, 2,122 bales, against 108 last year, and at Houston, 438, against 582 last year.

Spot closed quiet. Middling uplands, 1.-280; middling gulf, 13.05; no sales.

Cotton futures closed barely steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan	12.30	12.35	12.26	12.30
Feb	12.31	.....	.....	12.32
Mar	12.40	12.45	12.36	12.40
May	12.48	12.51	12.44	12.47
July	12.10	12.15	12.04	12.12
Aug	12.11	12.15	12.07	12.12
Sept	12.13	12.16	12.12	12.20
Oct	12.28	12.37	12.25	12.32
Nov	12.29	12.29	12.29	12.27
Dec	12.32	12.37	12.27	12.32

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston — Steady, 12⅞; net receipts, 677; gross receipts, 677; sales, 40; stock, 26,732; constwise, 1,857.

New Orleans—Easy, 13⅛; net receipts, 2,122; gross receipts, 2,158; sales, 64; stock, 35,122.

Mobile—Net receipts, 34; gross receipts, 34; stock, 1,100; coastwise, 59.

Savannah—Steady, 12⅜; net receipts, 96; gross receipts, 96; sales, 310; stock, 24,914; constwise, 520.

Charleston—Nominal; stock, 7,692.

Wilmington—Nominal; stock, 317.

Norfolk—Steady, 13¼; net receipts, 273; gross receipts, 273; stock, 21,807; constwise, 108.

Baltimore—Nominal, 13; stock, 4,563.

New York—Quiet, 12.80; gross receipts, 2,847; stock, 135,273; constwise, 3,027.

Boston—Quiet, 12.80; net receipts, 49; gross receipts, 249; stock, 7,144.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 13.05; stock, 2,623.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 3,251; stock, 267,289.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 4,558; Great Britain, 478; continent, 570.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 11,-833,770; Great Britain, 4,129,002; France, 1,161,342; continent, 4,428,298; Japan, 512,-196; Mexico, 8,913.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 12⅞; net receipts, 438; gross receipts, 438; shipments, 801; stock, 22,624.

Augusta—Quiet, 13; net receipts, 55; gross receipts, 163; shipments, 407; sales, 14; stock, 24,084.

Memphis—Steady, 12½; net receipts, 102; gross receipts, 448; shipments, 391; sales, 275; stock, 12,840.

St. Louis—Steady, 12⅝; shipments, 42; sales, 25; stock, 8,083.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 209; gross receipts, 209; shipments, 50; stock, 22,146.

Little Rock—Steady, 12⅜; net receipts, 11; gross receipts, 11; shipments, 179; stock, 7,919.

Total today—Net receipts, 815; gross receipts, 1,269; shipments, 1,879; sales, 314; stock, 97,496.

CHICAGO GRAIN.

Chicago, July 22.—Reports that harvesting had spread as far north as Minnesota and that except in a few counties the whole spring crop of the United States was practically beyond danger from rust, made today's wheat market heavy. Closing prices showed half to one cent net decline. Latest trading left corn ⅛@⅜c. to ⅝@⅞c. down, oats varying from ¼ off to 1¼c. up, and provisions less expensive by 7½ to 25.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, hard, 96½@98½; No. 2, red, 97½@99.

Corn—No. 3, 68½@69; No. 3, yellow, 69¼@70½.

Oats—No. 3, white, 52½@53¼; standard, 52¾@53¾.

Wheat:	Close.
July	90
Sept	92½
Dec	95¾
May	99⅝
Corn:	
July	68½
Sept	64
Dec	56⅛
May	57¼
Oats:	
July	44
Sept	33⅝
Dec	34⅜
May	37½
Pork:	
July	17.35
Sept	17.00
Oct	17.67½
Jan	17.92½
Lard:	
July	10.47½
Sept	10.57½
Oct	10.65
Jan	10.15
Ribs:	
July	10.33
Sept	10.43
Oct	10.37½

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

Liverpool, July 22.—Spot, good business done; prices, 3 points lower; American middling fair, 7.90; good middling, 7.50; middling, 7.14; low middling, 6.90; good ordinary, 6.42; ordinary, 5.94.

Sales, 10,000 bales, including 9,400 American. Receipts, 9,000 bales, including 8,700 American.

Futures opened quiet and steady and closed quiet and steady. July, 6.90½; July and August, 6.80; August and September, 6.84½; September and October, 6.78; October and November, 6.66½; November and December, 6.62; December and January, 6.61; January and February, 6.61½; February and March, 6.62; March and April, 6.63; April and May, 6.63½; May and June, 6.64½.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, July 22.—Turpentine, quiet. Rosin, quiet.

Charleston, July 22.—Turpentine, firm, at 43¼.

Rosin—Firm. Quote: B, 6.10; D, 6.65; E, 6.80; F, G, H and I, 7.02½; K, 7.05; M, 7.10; N, 7.40; W G, 7.50; W W, 7.60.

Savannah, July 22.—Turpentine, firm, at 43¼. Sales, 250; receipts, 906; shipments, 302; stocks, 21,362.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 3,132; receipts, 3,-132; shipments, 1,582; stocks, 104,516. Quote: B, 6.15@6.20; D, 6.65; E, 6.72@6.80; F and G, 6.90@6.95; H, 6.90@6.97½; I, 6.90@7.00; K, 7.05@7.15; M, 7.15@7.30; N, 7.35@7.50; W G, 7.50@7.65; W W, 7.70.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, July 22.—The men's wear and dress goods markets are stronger, with a broad demand reported. Cotton goods are firm. Cotton yarns are tending higher. There are many buyers in the market and general trade in dry goods is more active in primary divisions.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Str. Lisbon, Black, Elizabethtown, J. W. Brooks.

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List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Schooners.

Schr. Stephen G. Loud, 400 tons, Graham, Mallitt & Wood; in distress.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., July 22.

Atlantic Coast Line—2 casks spirits turpentine; 6 barrels rosin; 31 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Duplin—3 casks spirits turpentine; 43 barrels rosin; 31 barrels crude turpentine.

ELGIN BUTTER MARKET.

Elgin, Ills., July 22.—The quotation committee of the Elgin Board this afternoon declared butter firm at 25c.

PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, July 22.—Flour, quiet and lower to sell.

Rye Flour—Quiet.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Rye—Nominal.

Barley—Quiet.

Wheat—Spot, easy. No. 2, red, 1.05@1.07 elevator, export basis, and export, 1.07 f.o.b. afloat to arrive. Futures, ½@15-16 net lower. July, 1.06; September, 1.00 1-16; December, 1.02¼.

Corn—Spot, easy; export, 77¾, f.o.b. afloat.

Oats—Spot, steady; standard, white, 50, in elevator; No. 2, 59.

Pork—Steady.

Beef—Steady.

Cut Meats—Quiet.

Lard—Easy.

Tallow—Quiet.

Petroleum—Steady.

Wool—Quiet.

Rice—Steady.

Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw, steady; refined, quiet.

Cheese—Steady.

Butter—Steady.

Eggs—Irregular.

Coffee—Rio, No. 7, 14¼. Futures, steady. September, 12.98; March, 13.26.

Potatoes—Firm. Southern sweets, yellow, barrel, 2.50@4.00; red, 2.75@3.50. Cabbages, steady. Freights, quiet. Cotton to Liverpool, per 100 pounds, 25c.

Peanuts—Quiet; fancy hand-picked, Virginia, 5¼@5½; Virginia shelled, Nos. 1 and 2, 3¾@5¼.

The market for cotton seed oil was easier, under weakness in lard and renewed liquidation, but rallied in sympthy with the strength of spot and closed firm at 10 points advance to 3 decline, except spot, which was up 38 points. July, 6.60@6.65; August, 6.60@6.62; September and October, 6.65@6.66; November, 6.32@6.34.

Prime crude, nominal; do. Summer yellow, spot, 6.58@6.75; do. Winter yellow, 7.25@7.50; do. Summer white, 6.50.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, July 22.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Steady, at 42¼c. per gallon.

ROSIN—Steady, $5.90 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm, $2.00 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $3.25 per barrel for hard; $4.75 for dip; $4.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year: Spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin, $4.85; tar, $2.20; crude turpentine, $3.00 for hard, $4.50 for dip, $4.00 for virgin.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	3
Rosin	43
Tar	(—)
Crude Turpentine	31

Receipts same day last year, 53 casks spirits turpentine; 237 barrels rosin; 4 barrels tar; 97 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year—Nothing doing.

Receipts—None. Same day last year, none.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, July 20.)

CORN—Firm; $1.10 per bu.

PEAS—White, no sales. Mixed, $1.00.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, 85c. to 95c. per bu.

BEEF—On foot, good demand, 3@4c. per lb.; dressed, 8c.

PORK—Small, 10@11c.

WOOL—Burry, 11@.12c. per lb.; free of burr, 16c. per lb.

HIDES—Green, 8 to 8½c. per lb.; dry, 14 to 15c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 17 to 18c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 13c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; 27@28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; 4½ to 5c. per lb.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 40 to 45c. per head; chickens, Spring, 15c. to 30c. per head.

SHEEP—Old, $1.00@$2.50; lambs, $1.00 @$3.00.

EGGS—Very dull, 17 to 18c.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Fuschess & Co.)

Wilmington, July 16.

Market—Steady.

North Carolinas—Farmers' stock: Prime hand-picked, 70@75c.; machine-picked, 65@70c.

Spanish—Prime hand picked, $1.00; machine picked, 95c.

Virginias—Prime hand-picked, 88c.; machine picked, 80c.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, July 22.—Money on call steady, at 2¾@3 per cent.; ruling rate, 2¾. Time loans, easy; sixty days, 3¼ per cent.; six months, 4¼@4½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4½ per cent. Sterling exchange, firm, at 4.8475 for sixty day bills, 4.8760 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.81.

How to Fight Flies

Begin at their breeding places. Cover or screen all manure or have it removed at least once a week. Don't tolerate any open privy. Privybred flies are by all odds the filthiest and most dangerous.

It is next to impossible to abolish all breeding places, and a few flies will almost invariably remain. Screen all doors and windows and make the flies feed at your garbage can. Place a trap on the lid and catch them as they come out. You will be agreeably surprised at the result. If any escape the trap or break through the screen doors, SWAT THEM or catch them on sticky fly paper. They deserve no better fate.

After getting your own premises in good shape, get your neighbors interested. A nice way to do this is to send their names and addresses to the State Board of Health, with a request that they be sent free fly bulletins. Discuss fly nuisances with your neighbors. Talk it up. Tell them and show them how you prevent flies at your house. Gentle suggestions along anti-fly lines are fine to supplement anti-fly literature.

Nursing Mothers and Malaria.

The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out malaria and builds up the system. For grown people and children, 50c.

CONFIDENCE IN CONDITIONS

Indications Reflected on Stock Market Yesterday, But Later Flattened Out—Pressure Against the Leaders.

New York, July 22.—Indications of increasing confidence in general conditions were reflected in early operations on the stock exchange today, but the movement flattened out later, leaving quoted values without material change.

Pressure against certain leaders, particularly United States Steel, Union Pacific and Reading was probably responsible for the reversal. Steel is the foremost feature, being quite heavily sold after its fractional opening advance. No news accompanied the liquidation or short selling, other than the fact that there exists much difference of opinion and some concern respecting the effect of the reports dealing with the Steel Corporation soon to be issued by the Stanley committee. In the list of special stocks the recent activity in the Tobacco issues was resumed, with gains ranging from 2 to 7 points. The market as a whole was in a waiting mood.

The week opened with a preponderance of favorable news, including Western advices telling of the permanance of trade betterment and momentary improvement in that section, as well as the scarcity of labor to handle crops. Bankers West and Southwest of Chicago confirm reports of increased use of funds at the same time asserting that little Eastern money will be needed to move the large agricultural output.

Bonds here were steady, with total sales, par value, amounting to $1,516,000. United States governments were unchanged on call. Total sales, 206,000 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers, pfd	21½
Amalgamated Copper	83⅜
American Agricultural	60¾
American Beet Sugar	73⅝
American Can	36⅜
American Car and Foundry	58⅛
American Cotton Oil	52½
American Hide and Leather, pfd	24½
American Ice Securities	25
American Linseed	13⅛
American Locomotive	42½
American Smelting and Refining	83
Amer. Smelting and Ref., pfd	107¾
American Steel Foundries	35¼
American Sugar Refining	128¼
American Tel and Tel	145¼
American Tobacco, pfd	106
American Woolen	26
Anaconda Mining Co	41⅝
Atchison	108⅜
Atchison, pfd	102½
Atlantic Coast Line	130½
Baltimore and Ohio	109⅝
Bethlehem Steel	35
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	91⅞
Canadian Pacific	206⅜
Central Leather	27⅝
Central Leather, pfd	96
Central of New Jersey	300
Chesapeake and Ohio	80¾
Chicago and Alton	23
Chicago Great Western	17
Chicago Great Western, pfd	33⅜
Chicago and North Western	138
Chicago, Mil. and St. P	103½
C., C., C. and St. Louis	59
Colorado Fuel and Iron	31
Colorado and Southern	42
Consolidated Gas	145⅝
Corn Products	15⅛
Delaware and Hudson	167
Denver and Rio Grande	19
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	35½
Distillers' Securities	34⅛
Erie	35⅞
Erie, 1st pfd	54
Erie, 2nd pfd	43½
General Electric	180½
Great Northern, pfd	137½
Great Northern, Ore Ctfs	41½
Illinois Central	130½
Interborough-Met	20½
Interborough-Met., pfd	58⅜
Inter Harvester	120½
Inter-Marine, pfd	16
International Paper	15¼
International Pump	20
Iowa Central	13
Kansas City Southern	24⅜
Kansas City Southern, pfd	56
Laclede Gas	106
Louisville and Nashville	157⅝
Minneapolis and St. Louis	17½
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	146½
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	27
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd	59
Missouri Pacific	36
National Biscuit	143
National Lead	59
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	31
New York Central	115½
New York, Ontario and Western	32½
Norfolk and Western	117
North American	81⅛
Northern Pacific	121⅝
Pacific Mail	31½
Pennsylvania	123⅜
People's Gas	116¼
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	107¼
Pittsburg Coal	21
Pressed Steel Car	35¼
Pullman Palace Car	161⅞
Railway Steel Spring	34½
Reading	165
Republic Steel	20½
Republic Steel, pfd	84½
Rock Island Co	24½
Rock Island Co., pfd	48⅝
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	36
St. Louis Southwestern	32
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	73⅜
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	55
Southern Pacific	110¼
Southern Railway	29
Southern Railway, pfd	77¼
Tennessee Copper	43¼
Texas and Pacific	22½
Toledo, St. Louis and Western	15
Toledo, St. Louis and Western, pfd	31
Union Pacific	168¾
Union Pacific, pfd	90⅛
United States Realty	84
United States Rubber	52⅛
United States Steel	70½
United States Steel, pfd	112⅛
Utah Copper	61⅞
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	49½
Wabash	4
Wabash, pfd	13¼
Western Maryland	58
Westinghouse Electric	77
Western Union	82
Wheeling and Lake Erie	6½
Seaboard Air Line	23¼
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	53½
American Tobacco	300

Outdoor Life

The out-of-doors season is here. Make the most of it. The State Board of Health believes in the outdoor life, and urges every one who can, to get as much of it as possible. Houses are artificial devices intended for cold or rainy weather. Since we have to make houses our basis of supplies, it behooves us to make them as comfortable and healthful as possible during the hot weather. To do this, open every door and window in the house. To exclude the pestiferous flies and mosquitoes, screen all these exterior openings. If you are so unfortunate as to have to live in houses this Summer, arrange to eat, work and sleep outside and on porches as much as possible. If you have no open, unsanitary privies or horse stables nearby, and if you have a fly trap on your garbage can, you will not be bothered with many flies even when you eat on an unscreened porch.

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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

July 23, 1912.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 78 degrees; at 8 P. M., 88 degrees; maximum, 94 degrees; minimum, 76 degrees; mean, 85 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .59; rainfall for the month, to date, 2.63.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 5.8 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Local showers Tuesday; Wednesday, probably fair.

Port Calendar—July 23.

Sun rises	5:17 A. M.
Sun sets	7:20 P. M.
Day's length	14 hrs. 3 min.

Tides.	High water. A.M.	High water. P.M.	Low water. A.M.	Low water. P.M.
Wilmington	4:50	5:32	11:45	.....
Southport	3:11	3:47	9:15	10:17
Masonboro Inlet	2:42	3:18	8:46	9:58

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

July 22, 1912.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature. Highest today.	Temperature. Lowest last night.	24-hour precipitation, 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	96	74	.0
Asheville	cloudy	86	66	.0
Atlanta	clear	88	70	.0
Augusta	pt cldy	92	76	.0
Birmingham	clear	88	72	.0
Boston	clear	78	64	.0
Charleston	pt cldy	96	78	.0
Charlotte	cloudy	94	74	.01
Chicago	clear	72	62	.0
Galveston	clear	88	82	.0
Jacksonville	clear	94	74	.0
Memphis	pt cldy	90	78	.0
Mobile	clear	88	78	.02
Montgomery	clear	90	74	.0
New Orleans	clear	90	76	.0
New York	clear	80	68	.0
Oklahoma	clear	96	76	.0
Pittsburg	clear	78	64	.02
Raleigh	pt cldy	94	70	.0
Savannah	clear	94	76	.0
Shreveport	cloudy	90	76	.0
St. Louis	clear	84	70	.0
Washington	clear	82	70	.0

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, given by J. L. Comer, on the 13th day of December, 1911, to the Carolina Title Insurance Company, which said mortgage is duly recorded, the undersigned will sell at Public Auction, for cash, at the Court House door of New Hanover County, at 12 o'clock M., the following described real estate:

Beginning in the Southern line of Creacy Avenue one hundred and thirty-two (132) feet west of the Intersection of the Southern line of Creacy Avenue with the Western line of Twenty-First Street, as said streets are laid out in the map of Carolina Place, and recorded in records of New Hanover county and

Running thence West with said Southern line of Creacy Avenue thirty-three (33) feet, thence South and parallel with Twenty-First Street one hundred and thirteen (113) feet to a ten-foot alley way, thence East and parallel with Creacy Avenue thirty-three (33) feet, thence North and parallel with Twenty-First Street one hundred and thirteen (113) feet to the point of beginning.

Same being Lot No. 17, in Block 14, of the official plan of Carolina Place, as recorded in Records of New Hanover County. This, the 1st day of July, 1912.

CAROLINA TITLE INSURANCE CO.

jy2-law4w K. C. SIDBURY, Sec.

FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue of the provisions of a certain mortgage deed made by J. C. Jones and wife and J. R. Sherrill to A. S. Kirby, and duly registered on the records of New Hanover County, in Book 65, page 483, the undersigned will sell, to the highest bidder at public auction, for cash, at the wood yard at the foot of Hanover street, in the City of Wilmington, on Saturday, the 10th day of August, 1912, at twelve o'clock M., the following personal property, to-wit: 3 dump carts, 2 drays, 4 mules, 2 horses, 1 gasoline engine (5-horse-power), 1 saw and 1 splitter and machinery connected therewith.

And the undersigned will also sell, at the Court House door of New Hanover County, on Wednesday, the 21st day of August, 1912, at twelve o'clock M., that certain lot at Carolina Place, having a two-story dwelling thereon, beginning at the northeast intersection of Perry avenue and Eighteenth street; runs eastwardly along the line of Perry avenue 66 feet; thence northwardly 113 feet to an alley; thence westwardly along the line of said alley 66 feet to the eastern side of Eighteenth street 113 feet to the beginning, being part of Lots 11 and 12, block 31, according to the map of said Carolina Place.

Said sale to be made subject to prior mortgages to the Atlantic Trust & Banking Company and C. R. Spooner.

This 10th of July, 1912.

A. S. KIRBY, Mortgagee.

By John D. Bellamy & Son, Attorneys.

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SALE OF UNCLAIMED FREIGHT.

Whereas there is in the possession of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, at Wilmington, N. C., one Franklin automobile, No. F-1309, consigned "Order notify J. M. Whitfield," which has been in its possession for a period of more than six months, and the same has been unclaimed both by shipper and consignee, or any other person, now notice is hereby given that the same will be sold, in accordance with Section 2637 of the Revisal of North Carolina, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, on Wednesday, August the 7th, at ten o'clock A. M., at the freight depot of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, at the foot of Bladen street, in the City of Wilmington, N. C., to satisfy the claim for freight charges and expenses of sale.

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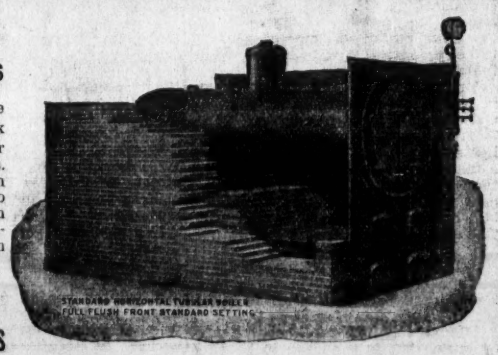

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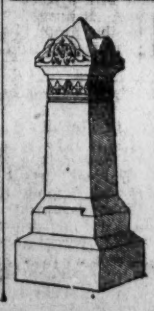

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BRITAIN'S NAVY TO KEEP THE PACE

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in full commission. Thus Great Britain will have 33 battleships against Germany's 29. This might not be considered a very satisfactory proportion Mr. Churchill said, but having in regard the character of the different vessels, the admiralty was of the opinion that 33 battleships would be adequate for the needs of 1914-15.

While acknowledging the advent of a station for Austrian dreadnaughts in the Mediterranean was most important, Mr. Churchill demurred from the assumption that those two powers whose past history was not altogether free from differences were likely to combine in attacking Great Britain," and thought it necessary to maintain local superiority over their combined fleets.

Arthur J. Balfour, former premier, followed and remarked that the prospect before Europe was not agreeable but if Great Britain did its duty peace would be maintained.

Premier Asquith declared the increased expenditure necessary to maintain security of our shores, of our dominions and of our commerce and to insure the peace of the world. We are most reluctant competitors in this naval rivalry which was not provoked by us.

The premier emphasized that the vital interests of Great Britain would be guarded in the Mediterranean and a much stronger force be placed there which would be amply sufficient to safeguard British interests.

Lord Charles Beresford, criticised the increase in the naval programme as insufficient. He prophesied that the country would go on adding more ships each year, but not enough—just sufficient to induce Germany to follow suit until war came.

FIREMEN'S TOURNEY

Laddies Gathering at Fayetteville for Meet This Week

Fayetteville, N. C., July 21.—Today Fayetteville has been the objective point of the fire laddies and the show people. The weather is very hot, but a fitting temperature for fire fighters. Eight companies have already arrived, one each from Raleigh, Goldsboro, High Point and Morehead City and four from Newbern. All of these have only hose reels except Goldsboro, which has both engine and reel.

The State Association will be called to order at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning and the address of welcome will be by Mayor John Underwood. The response will be by Senator A. H. Boyden, of Salisbury. There will be a greeting by Alderman John W. Maloney and response by visiting guests, followed by the address by Governor Kitchin. The response to the Governor's address will be by President Jas. D. McNeill.

The Observer this afternoon publishes a roster of the companies arriving as follows:

"The following companies have already arrived, as follows: Goldsboro, Saturday night; Raleigh, Sunday afternoon; Newbern, four companies, Sunday afternoon; Morehead City, Sunday afternoon; High Point, Sunday afternoon.

"This morning the Monroe crowd came on a noon A. C. L. train 21 strong. The following are booked to arrive this afternoon: Raleigh team (the apparatus already here) over the R. C. S.; Chapel Hill, over the R. C. S.; Wilson, over the R. C. S.; Washington, over the R. C. S.

"The following companies came in at 3:45 this afternoon on a special over the A. C. L. from Greensboro: Sanford, 15 men; Greensboro, delegates only; Asheville, 10 men; Salisbury, 18 men; Sauem, 20 men; Burlington, 18 men; East Spencer, 18 men; Winston Fire Department, 30 men.

LORIMER IN AUTO WRECK

Not Seriously Hurt, but Has a Narrow Escape

Clayville, Pa., July 21.—William Lorimer, the Illinois Senator recently deprived of his seat by the United States Senate, was cut, bruised and stunned, when his automobile was wrecked late this afternoon one mile west of here. Mr. Lorimer was not seriously hurt, but had a narrow escape. His private secretary and chauffeur sustained scartches. All three proceeded to Chicago by train tonight.

Mr. Lorimer and party left Washington Saturday morning en route to Chicago in a large touring car. Shotly after passing Claysville, a fractious horse, driven by William McCoombs, a farmer, was encountered. In an effort to avoid a collision, the steering gear was thrown out and the automobile crashed into a telegraph pole. The three occupants were thrown out.

GASOLINE AND KEROSENE.

Has Caused Several Explosions in Atlanta, Ga., Households.

Atlanta, Ga., July 22.—Gasoline mixed with what is supposed to be pure kerosene for burning in lamps, has caused three explosions in Atlanta within the last two or three days, according to the authorities, and quantities of the suspective kerosene have already been confiscated.

The latest victim, Mrs. Maud Overby, lies in agony, with terrible burns all over her body as the result of a Saturday night explosion, which it is said can be explained on no other hypothesis than the presence of gasoline in the lamp.

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NO HARD TIMES.

Washington Correspondent Tells Whys and Wherefors of Howls.

(By C. H. Tavenner.)

Washington, July 22.—Now that the people have come to see the sham of a high tariff, and to understand that a continuation of Republican rule means a still further surrender of the government to the trust plunderbund, the G. O. P. orators and newspapers are trying to raise the spectre of hard times, and to make it appear that business will falter in the event of Democratic success.

Such imbecilities never weary the Republican mind. Without regard to the truth, and unimpressed by evidence to the contrary, those men go on shouting the same old heresies. The "hard times" heresy is a twin brother to the long exploded doctrine that a high protective tariff protects American workingmen, when every schoolboy in the land knows that it does no such thing.

A brief review of recent American business depression provides a full and sufficient answer to these foolish arguments. The last panic in this country occurred less than five years ago, when all the machinery of government was in full control of the Republicans, and when Theodore Roosevelt, who has a cure for all known political evils, was in the White House. This panic was the least excusable the Nation ever endured.

The Republican party was in full control of the government when the panic of 1873 came about. Likewise, this party was in power when there came a panic in the early part of 1884, and the country recovered from that panic during the campaign that resulted in the election of Mr. Cleveland. The Republican party was in full control of the government for the four years previous to the panic of 1893, which was a currency panic clearly due to the passage, by the Republicans, of the Silver Purchase act of 1890. This law so depleted the gold reserve in the National treasury that a few millions in gold were borrowed by the government in New York, in order to keep the treasury reserve up to $100,000,000 until the Harrison administration could get out of office, and thus make it appear that the panic was due to the incoming Democratic administration.

The silver panic of 1893, which was entirely due to the Republican legislation, is the only one for more than half a century that did not occur while the Republicans were in full possession of the government. Yet Republican orators and newspapers, true to their habit of hiding the facts and raising false issues, go right ahead trying to make it appear that the Democratic party is the party of hard times.

This is the heresy of the pronounced kind, and it is safe to assume that the country will appraise it at its true worth. The time is passed when the voters can be fooled. They are demanding the truth, and what is more important, they are showing the ability to separate the truth from the false.

THE REBELS' PLANS.

Castenada Goes to Juarez to Receive His Instructions.

Juarez, Mexico, July 22.—To receive from Gen. Orozco final instructions regarding his part in the invasion of Sonora, Col. Alfonso Castenada arrived here today from Madero. He expects tomorrow to rejoin his column of 800 men distributed along the line of the Mexican Northwestern Railroad for 20 miles south of Madera. The rebel artillery was shipped from Juarez to Casas Grandes today in order to have it safely away when the rebels evacuate this town.

Castenada, who has been Orozco's chief of staff since he assumed command of the rebels, was accompanied by his own staff, including Miguel Quiroga, one of the five men who rode with Gen. Bernardo Reyes on his invasion of Mexico in December. Castenada and his staff, almost all of whom are men of military experience and culture frankly confess chagrin over the predatory methods used by Gen. Rojas' men in the vicinity of Maera.

Comparatively little progress has been made by the rebels since their defeat at Bachimba, more than two weeks ago. They have destroyed the Mexican Central Railway, between Sauz and Gallago, 50 miles, have occupied the points along the Northwestern as far south as Matachio, 60 miles north of San Antonio, near Chihuahua City, where the Federal vanguard is located. Gen. Rojas has moved west ward into the State of Sonora and Modera, about 45 miles, in an effort to isolate Gen. Huerta at Chihuahua.

MAN ELECTROCUTED

Foreman for Contracting Firm In Charlotte Meets Death

Charlotte, N. C., July 22.—William B. Pruett, of 302 South Johnston street, foreman for Porter and Boyd, contractors, was instantly killed this morning at 7:30 o'clock by touching a live wire on a pole belonging to the Charlotte Power Company, near the new colored school building in ward four.

A painter needed a loop on his bucket and Mr. Pruett went to hunt a piece of wire to make a loop for the bucket. In stooping to pick up a piece of wire he had chopped off one of the wires on the pole Saturday when it (the wire) became ingnited, he put his hand on the post and in some way touched the "naked" or live wire. He uttered a sound of pain, and fell instantly to the ground. When his fellow workmen reached him he was practically dead. There was a faint pulsation, and that was all.

The wire, which caused the tragedy, was one of several on a pole belonging to the Charlotte Power Company. The pole was about 50 feet from the school building, which latter is near Shaw's old taannery. The wire ran very close to the roof of the building. Saturday afternoon a tinner had been at work on the roof of the building. In some way, no one could explain, the wire came in contact with a piece of tin, and became ignited. It burned in two and dropped to the ground, striking some shavings and setting them on fire.

Atlantic City, N. J., July 22.—President Taft and Governor Wilson, the respective candidates of the Republican and Democratic parties, are to be on the same platform and make speeches in Atlantic City some time between September 30th and October 5th, according to an announcement made by the American Good Roads Congress, representing fifty associations, which is to be in session here between those dates.

JUDGE HANFORD STEPS OUT

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sub-committee now in Seattle, taking testimony in the Hanford case, to discontinue its work.

"Of course there will be no formal action on the part of the Committee on the Judiciary until a report is made by the sub-committee, which I appointed to investigate the alleged misconduct of Judge Hanford," said Chairman Clayton.

Word of the resignation of Judge Hanford was received here with surprise.

Representative Berger, the Socialist member from Wisconsin, who introduced the resolution that began the impeachment inquiry of Judge Hanford's conduct, announced he would drop the matter.

"It closes the case, so far as I am concerned," he said. "I take Judge Hanford's resignation as an admission of guilt. It cannot be construed otherwise. I was fighting corruption on the bench generally; not Hanford personally. I never knew the man."

Judge Hanford's resignation was received at the White House late today.

President Taft will take no action, until the letter of resignation reaches Washington.

ROOSEVELT AND FLINN.

Talk Over Pennsylvania Tangle With No Results—Conference.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 22.—For four hours today Col. Roosevelt and William Flinn, of Pittsburg, talked over the Pennsylvania tangle in the formation of the new party. When it was all over, it was apparently just as much of a tangle as ever. It was announced that the questions involved have been left open until after the Chicago convention.

Mr. Flinn pronounced it the most complicated situation he ever had anything to do with, which was without a parallel in American politics. Col. Roosevelt let it go with the statement that he did not want to be a dictator.

Mr. Flinn said that whatever was decided upon there would be no breach in their ranks.

"We will not do anything the Colonel object to," he said. "It is simply a question whether we shall have a joint electoral ticket, taking for the Roosevelt ticket as many of the Republicans that will regard as binding in the Electoral College an agreement to vote for the candidate for President who receives the highest number of votes, whether it is Taft or Roosevelt.

"That is what my associates and I want to do. The other proposal is to put up a brand new ticket. Then we should have three classes of men—the Taft candidates, the Roosevelt candidates who would remain on the Republican ticket, and the Roosevelt candidates who would resign because they were unwilling to remain under such conditions.

"The Colonel has no fixed idea. We will run an independent ticket, if he wants it. Our plan makes certain that all Pennsylvania's 38 electors are for Roosevelt. There is doubt he would win on a joint electoral ticket. I am confident he will beat Wilson, if he runs independently, but he is absolutely sure to do so on a joint ticket."

Whatever is done, Mr. Flinn explained, the National Progressive Party will have a full ticket in the field.

THE ALLEN TRIAL.

Prosecution Completes Its Case and Defense Begins Testimony.

Wytheville, Va., July 22.—Evidence for the commonwealth had been completed and 16 witnesses for the defense had been examined when court adjourned today in the third trial of Claude Allen. The feature of today's session was the introduction of the clothing worn by Commonwealth's Attorney Foster and Sheriff Webb at the time of the Hillsville tragedy. Foster's clothing was very bloody and showed 12 bullet holes; Webb's contained six bullet holes and was but slightly blood-stained.

One new witness was introduced by the commonwealth today. C. C. Webb, who testified he heard Floyd Allen use threatening language after being reprimanded by Judge Massie for intimidating witnesses.

The evidence for the defense was directly chiefly toward breaking down the charge of conspiracy and showing that a political feud existed between Clerk Goad and the Allens.

TRAGEDY IN COLUMBUS

White Man Shot and Killed Wife Near Cerro Gordo—In Jail

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., July 22.—Mack Gause, white, about 50 years old, has been jailed here charged with killing his wife at their home near Cerro Gordo last Sunday evening. There were no eye witnesses to the shooting, which is said to have been the result of a drunken brawl. Mack says the shooting is all a mystery to him and that if he shot his wife it was an accident. Mrs. Gause is about 65 years old and has two children both grown, by a former husband.

Washington, July 22.—Frank Lyon, of Virginia, for many years an attorney for the Inter-State Commerce Commission, identified with the transcontinental advanced rate cases, the big coal cases and the express investigation, has resigned to take effect August 1st.

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When one of the leading druggists in Wilmington tells you that they have a preparation which they so thoroughly believe in that they will refund your money if it does not do all that is claimed for it, it shows that the article must have unusual merits. It is this way that the J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., is selling Samose, the remarkable flesh-forming food.

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Another natural beautifying treatment—for wrinkled, flabby skin—is to bathe the face in a lotion made by dissolving an ounce of saxolite in a half pint witch hazel. This is remarkably effective.

THAW CASE CLOSED

Now Remains Up to Justice Keogh To Give Decision

New York, July 22.—The case of Harry K. Thaw, slayer of Stanford White, who has been fighting through habeas corpus proceedings in White Plains to obtain his release from the Mattewan Asylum, was officially closed today when William Travers Jerome, attorney for the State, submitted his brief to Justice Martin J. Keogh against giving Thaw his freedom. Justice Keogh will hand down his decision the latter part of this week or the first of next.

Mr. Jerome contends that in Thaw's two homicide trials, the accused put in a plea of insanity and was exonerated because the alienists and jury believed him to be a lunatic.

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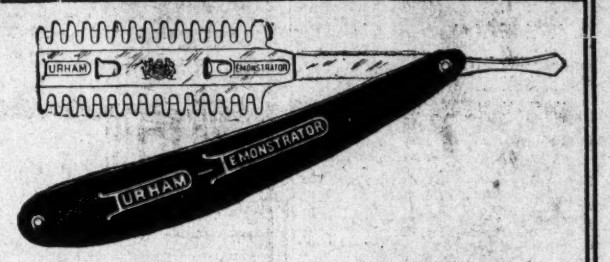

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100 Bbls. Large Mullets.
200 Bbls. Medium Mullets.
100 Bbls. Small Mullets.
200 Boxes Smoked Herring.
40 Boxes Cod Fish.
200 Cases Salmon.
200 Cases Sardines.
50 Cases Herring Roe.
100 Cases Oysters.
500 Bbls. Fancy Patent Flour.
400 Sacks Broken Rice.
400 Sacks Head Rice
75 Bbls. Fancy Molasses.
50 Bbls. N. O. Molasses.

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